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Blacksmith Volume 3 Chapter 4

Hello, this is the last series I will pick up, again unless you know Kenkyo goes off again. or duke daughter common sense one not the other one
Blacksmith, is a very funny sorry, I do like it, Eliza Best girl for me. I like her LN design, Iris just looks like the typical shojo manga character so I like the character but don't want that ending.

this will either have 1 or 2 chaps a weeks again don't quote me on this. during december end you will get more for sure

Well enjoy and gimme lots of hate Iris fans
Just kidding

If you find mistakes please say and thank you

Thank you to bystand321 for your translation of this chapter

Chapter 3 Episode 4

Rahsa came to our territory with a joyful look.
I am very happy about my younger partner coming over but he was not the only one that alighting from the carriage.

My father was being enthusiastic since this morning. It seems like he got used to Rahsa coming over.

He rambles every night from the previous week that this is the most auspicious thing; that royal people will be coming to his territory.

The queen is so powerful that my father feels like dealing with her is difficult.

But Rahsa naturally made friends with our family because of his kindness.
So, my father welcomes Rahsa when he comes over.

Sometimes he says a terrible thing like, "I wish Lord Rahsa takes the throne."
How terrible! I have to reform my father before he gets himself into trouble.

We put the watermelon that we harvested this summer in the river to keep it cool and we brought it into our house.

My father said “I hope Lord Rahsa likes it.” grinning with some ulterior motive with him.

“I hope so, too.”

At noon, Rahsa’s carriage got here on time.

He became familiar with coming to our territory so our citizens don’t bustle about it a lot anymore.

It is better for Rahsa when he comes over.

After the carriage arrived to our house, Rahsa alighted from his carriage.

“Long time no see, big brother.” he said with a cute smile as always.

“Welcome, Rahsa.” Iris, Vain, my father and I greeted him.

Rahsa and Vain greeted each other. It seems like they knew each other.

“Is she your girl, big brother?” Rahsa asked, motioning toward Iris.

“No.” I denied immediately.

“By the way, I was going to come here by myself but...well...” Rahsa faltered self-consciously.

I kind of figured that something bad happened. Actually, I know something bad happened.

“In fact, my sisters and my brother came with me...my sister went to the town with her acquaintance earlier but my brother is in the carriage.” Rahsa said apologetically.

I pat Rahsa’s head thinking, “It’s not your fault. Your brother came here only for his own greed.”

My father was the one who got surprised the most by hearing that story. He suddenly started to have a stomach ache, told me “take care of the rest” and went away elegantly – to the bathroom.

Being ready, the first prince Arc came out of his carriage.

He talked to himself “Cool. This is Hellan’s territory.” and so on.

“This place looks nice.” he looks around the scenery but I know all he can think of is about Iris.

“Hi, Kururi Hellan. I came here to inspect you as a first prince.”

“Thank you.”

“I don’t see the lord. Isn’t he here?”

“Yes but he got a stomach ache so he’s not here. I’ll take care of you so don’t worry.”

“I got it. Thank you in advance.”

He started whistling. He seems restless.

“He has been like that as we approached to Hellan’s territory. He may cause you trouble but thank you for taking care of him.”

It is no use that Rahsa thinks his brother is acting weird because he doesn’t know his brother’s true feelings.

Having the weird old brother, makes the younger brother have a hard time.

I heard that Rahsa has a sister. If I remember correctly, her name is Maria and she is the first princess. It would be nice if she is a good person. Since I don’t hear a lot about her, she must be a steadfast person.

I prayed to her to take care of Rahsa silently.

Though there’s no need to inquire the reason of the first prince Arc’s purpose for coming, since I am already very sure about it, I should inquire formally at least, just in case he came here for his official duties.

“Please wait at our home with Iris and Vain, lord Rahsa. We have watermelon for you that we mentioned before. Well, why don’t we go observing our territory, lord Arc?”

Arc tingles and broke into a cold sweat saying, “Ugh”.

As I thought, his official duties were just an excuse.

If only he said he came here for fun. I wish I could enjoy my day off, too.

“Thanks.”

Rahsa bowed and went inside with Iris and Vain.

Including the way he gets into our house, he knows well.

Prince Arc and I are left behind.

Though he’s making a frown, I feel the same.

Since there’s no turning back, we decided to observe our territory together.

“Oh, I was told to give this to you.” He said bluntly and handed me a letter. The address is to Eliza Deauville.

I felt I got excited emotionally.

Um. Why am I pleased like this?

I don't know why, but I felt it a little weird myself.

Being jolted in a carriage, both of us are gazing somewhere far since there's nothing to talk about.

"W-Why did Vain and Iris visit here?"

The prince broke the silence. It seems like he is wondering why Iris came over.

"They just came here to see us. Oh, and to work."

"I see. Working..." The prince seems satisfied.

Being separated for a while, I guess he thought about Iris pretty well.

Finally he started to understand what kind of person Iris is, it seems like he's understanding now.

I want him to get along with Iris but my heart is not in it because he's a bit of a disappointment.

He is pathetic because he tries to steal glances at Iris secretly.

Come on, prince!

And how dare you visit us now!

Iris is obsessed with another guy now.

If he finds it out, what is he going to do?

Don't commit suicide within our territory. Seriously.

"Well, we have tasty fruit called watermelon at home. Do you want to finish this official duty and go back if you wouldn't mind?"

"Yeah, that's a good idea!"

Like being in his element, the prince started being energetic.

I wish he said he wants to see Iris.

We didn't have to take the long way if that's the case.

When we got home, we saw those three eating watermelon at the garden. It looks like they are competing with each other for spitting watermelon seeds. I want to join them.

Rahsa found us and rushed to us.

"Did you come back already?"

"Yeah, we changed the plan and decided to eat the watermelon with you."

“That sounds good. Let’s eat together. How fantastic this fruit that is named watermelon!”

By hearing that, I can’t wait anymore.
Getting a piece of watermelon, I immediately sat next to them.
Filling my mouth with watermelon and spitted. Pop!
Phew. I like it.

“Look, I can spit well, too.” Iris spits, too.
I want to say that’s not how ladies should act, however it looks like she’s having fun so that’s okay.

It is very fun having conversations like that but there’s one problem.
Our seating order is like this: Arc, Vain, Iris, Rahsa and I. However, Iris talks looking this way only.

She looks toward Rahsa and me when she talks. We have very pleasant atmosphere.

Vain who is sitting over there is eating watermelon quietly. He likes being quiet.
There’s no problem with those.
The problem is the first prince Arc who is being sulky over there.

I guess he was always the center of everybody when he’s in a group.
He doesn’t know what to do, he has lonely eyes.
He’s handsome – usually girls would love to jump at him blindly.
Iris is not a regular girl. Don’t worry about it, prince.

“A-are you going to be here during the vacation, Iris?” Arc, who has been hindered took courage in joining the conversation.
I assume he had to struggle a lot because he is obscured by big Vain.
“Yeah.”

The way Iris replied to him was very indifferent.
It was really unfriendly, Miss Iris!

Arc looks like he’s going to start crying soon.
He’s handsome, he’s a prince and he has everything...but I somehow seem to feel a very threatening aura from him now.

According to Rail, he was quite dangling after her at school.

Maybe she dislikes him? I didn't know the situation developed that far.

"By the way, you look intimate. Do you frequently be together at school, Iris and lord Arc?"

I tried to bring those two together not to let the conversation break off.

"Right. We frequently chat together," said the prince having a love-stuck look on his face.

"We just have same classes a lot."

Iris coldly breaks my effort.

Um, not by a long shot. You should stop seeing her for a while, Mr.Prince.

"I met you for the first time today but you are very charming lady, Iris. I would like to be friends with you like everyone else."

"Oh, I would like to be friends with you, but only because it's you, Lord Rahsa."

Iris smiled brightly as usual and patted his head gently. It seems like Iris found favor with Rahsa since he is adorable like real baby brother.

"Yes!" Rahsa smiled happily.

Only because it's Lord Rahsa? Seriously? Only because it's him?

Who else would it be? I don't even want to think about it; it's too scary.

Looking at that, Arc became close to tears even more.

Perhaps it will be better for him to let him go home.

I don't want him to commit suicide in our territory.

Our exchange kept going on like this, by the time it got dark, Arc started saying "I will go home." with weepy eyes.

He walks indoors unsteadily like a zombie.

"It's dangerous at night. Please wait until tomorrow." I detained him and he decided to stay for a night.

"You should get in a hot spring – and your mind will be refreshed and cleaned."

"I agree. I should sink to the bottom of the hot spring."

No, no! You can suit yourself if you want to die but don't do that in our territory!

Left him to an attendant, I finally could come to a resting-place.

I'm going to take a dip to the hot spring and go to bed. It was a very long day.

The hot spring soothed my soul and body.

Rahsa waited for me so, we decided to go for a walk after the bath.

"Hellan's territory is as beautiful as always, isn't it?"

Taking a walk at night feels good. I was enjoying the beautiful nature as well.

"Thank you for looking after my brother today. I shouldn't have brought him."

"Oh, no. I didn't do anything."

"But I shouldn't have brought him after all. Also it seems like my brother likes Miss Iris."

"Ah, I know."

"I want you to stick to your love, bro. You and Iris are a good couple. Please make her happy."

"Huh?"

Because Rahsa made a terrible misunderstanding and an outrageous remark, my relaxed feeling after taking a hot spring was destroyed.

"No way! We are just friends!"

"But she stays in Hellan's territory all through the vacation, right? Do you say she's not your girlfriend, though?"

"No. She's just working here. She's just a friend."

"Is that so? I misjudged the situation terribly then."

"Yeah, you surprised me. Iris is a nice girl but I don't look at her as a prospective suitor."

"Good grief! I was worried for nothing! I am relieved and now I am getting tired. I'm going to go back. Are you?"

"Not yet. I'll go back in a bit."

Saying good-night to each other, we split up at that place.

I sat on the grass and felt a night breeze alone at our garden.

The night wind feels good.

It's not chilly or hot.

I see the stars clearly. I hear the relaxing chirping sounds of insects.

I heard the footsteps in the wonderful atmosphere and when I looked back, I saw Iris walking toward me.

"You look relaxed."

“Yeah, the breeze feels good. Do you want to sit down?”

“Yup. Oh, yeah. It feels very nice.”

We gazed the stars without speaking.

It's been several months since we met. I don't get nervous by being with her now anymore.

That's how much we got along better.

I didn't think I could be friends with such a beautiful girl who determines our destiny. She dislikes the prince but she likes me.

I wonder if the destiny is about to change. I suddenly thought about that under the summer night sky.

“To tell the truth, I was listening to you talking...”

“What? When I was with Rahsa?”

“Yeah.”

I didn't know that she was listening but I didn't say anything bad so there's no problem.

“You think of me as a friend, don't you? I sometimes wish Kururi likes me.”

“Eh, but” Mr. Lotson was – What? What does she mean?

“Tee-hee. Just kidding. Well, I'll go back. Good night.”

“Oh”

Iris went back to my home leaving me confused and speechless.

What did she mean? Was she just teasing me?

– Maybe. The guy she likes is Mr. Lotson.

I also went back to my house reluctantly.

I don't know why but I couldn't sleep that night and I was wide awake until next morning.

Blacksmith V3 C5

Hello well here is C5

Thank you to KuroNyan or imsodone for editing the chapter

BlackSmith V3 C5

Having a prince come to my domain and then leave my domain looking very glum is not good. I can't have the prince leaving and going home while looking like that, so I had to stop him.

If the rumors were to spread about the prince entering our domain looking healthy and then left looking all depressed and got thinner, all the good reputation accumulated right now will be gone. So, I took the prince to the city to try to cheer him up.

"How'd you like my city, isn't it beautiful?" (Kururi)

"That's true." (Arc)

Only two word answers came from the prince.

His complexion was also pale.

How long are going to be upset about yesterday, Arc, let it go.

"Come on Arc, look around! There so many cute and lovely girls in the town right now. Look there's a whole group of them over there." (Kururi)

I point at the direction where there are girls. There really was a cute young girl doing shopping right there.

Looking at the people's happy faces, from my perspective as a lord, is a very good thing.

Also seeing young women shopping and enjoying their holiday is proof that my domain is prosperous.

But, today I can't think of stuff like that.

I have to cheer up the prince, so my domain stays prosperous.

The prince, Arc, looks cool. He can do basically everything, plus he's also smart.

Even if he stays silent and just people look from afar, he will still be popular. I have no doubt about that.

My plan is to have the prince walk around town and have the young women fawn over him. Then he will cheer up and then return to the capital. Just to be sure, I will also give him one of our prized watermelons to take back which will make his visit perfect. This little extra work is what I have to do as the lord of the domain.

“Hey, let's go over there.” (Kururi)

I point to the group of young women standing by a stall and pulled Arc over there.

This is a stall that sells accessories; naturally the young women are flocking here to buy things.

I lead the prince and myself into the store and walked around just to show our faces. After doing that for a while, we left the store.

The young women's face changed when they saw us. All of their faces suddenly changed color. One of them started to scream over the prince, which is followed by another scream and then suddenly they all started to scream over the prince. The atmosphere definitely changed for the better.

I secretly looked over to see how the situation was and without a doubt they were all interested to come over here. Now, all I have to do is wait for them to call us out.

“Hello.” (Women)

Yes, it's here! They took the bait! I took a look at the girl and noticed that she was beautiful. Even comparing her to other people here, she stood out. Good, now the prince will forget the incident with Iris and go have fun in my domain. Now, come beautiful girl, attack Prince Arc!

“Hello, are you the lord Kururi-sama?” (Woman A)

“Hello.” (Kururi)

What? They want to talk to me?

“I always looked up to you, Kururi-sama. Is it alright if I ask to shake your

hand?” (Women A)

“Oh, yes. Of course, it’s ok.” (Kururi)

I shook her hand and she looked really grateful, like she met her favorite celebrity.

“Excuse me, may I also shake your hand?” (Woman B)

“Oh, yes.” (Kururi)

She was also very beautiful as well.

Afterwards, many people started to line up and wanted to shake my hand. Yes, this is why life is good.

Wrong!!!!

I did not come here for this!

I quickly look at the Prince and saw that his dead fish eyes while looking over here.

Why!? Why did I win against the prince right now!?!

The Prince is a really cool looking guy and right now he is really quiet too. But why did I win this game of picking up?

“Oh.” (Kururi)

I just realized the reason why the prince lost.

The difference is that of home and away game type of thing. As the son of the lord and add to the fact of my continuous public appearances for the reforms in the domain, made me and my face quite well known. Prince Arc face’s, who had never visited my domain before, would not be well known to the common people.

In terms of looks, the prince is winning but I definitely win the in personality area. Which does not matter much at a pickup game, thus the difference must reside in which face is known more.

Obviously mine is, considering that this is my domain.

It is precisely because of this difference of face status caused the prince to lose. In the case of unknown good-looking man, and a good looking man who will be the next lord. Winning in this situation is a given for me.

Dammit!! But it was already too late.

However, I have to admire the women of my domain; they all have a good head on their shoulders.

Their futures are looking bright and they will all make great wife to whomever they marry.

But still, today you should not have done this.

This is not on the level of Tamanokoshi*. The common girl has the chance to actually rise to the heavens. Come on, try looking clearly!

(Tamanokoshi is a moisturizing cream that is popular in Japan. It is said to give you skin like of a goddess.)

“...” (Arc)

Look, the prince is crying on the inside.

I can't look at this anymore.

“I am sorry, but right now I can't shake anymore hands. I have to show my friend around the domain.” (Kururi)

“Eh?” (People)

I feel like a star right now. **[EDnote: start? what?]**

I waved goodbye to everyone and took the prince's hand and left.

“When did I become your friend?” (Arc)

“Isn't it fine to call you my friend?” (Kururi)

“You sure are popular, especially with the girls.” (Arc)

“.....” (Kururi)

I felt a killing intent coming from him but I ignored it completely.

“That's right; you're also popular with Eliza. Did you read her letter?” (Arc)
Oh, so you do remember giving me that.

“Eliza letter was different; her letter was like a summer greeting.” (Kururi)
The letter was mostly that and a bit about her daily life, which I was kind of concerned about but now that I know about it. Her daily life is pretty normal.

“How long have I been such a disappointment of a man?” (Arc)
The prince sits down on a bench and looks into the distant sky.
No, this is not good. I have no more cards to play to encourage him. I don't

know where humans made the first misstep in life. The prince in the original work was so cool.

“Eliza always used to follow me around. I wonder when that changed.” (Arc)
“Huh??” (Kururi)

“Eliza always used to bug me and follow me around to the point that it was annoying. I got angry at her many times as well but maybe that was wrong. All of that now feels nostalgic now and I miss it.” (Arc)

“Eliza stop chasing me a few months ago, I felt relieved that she stopped but now that I think about those moments in my life was when I shining the most.” (Arc)

“Eliza is just busy right now.” (Kururi)

“It is true what they say, until you lose it, you do not know how much you actually treasure someone.” (Arc)

“Is that right?” (Kururi)

If tears fall down his face and then he goes back on his trip. That, right there, would make this an A+ story book.

“You sure are good at everything. You get along with both Eliza and Iris; you are going to steal everything from me, aren’t you?” (Arc)

Now, you’re just blaming me for nothing.

But wait, is it my fault?

“You also lately have been getting along with Rail for a while, are you going to take my best friend as well?” (Arc)

“Nope, that guy is totally different.” (Kururi)

I have to immediately deny this one. Rail is dangerous for me and I don’t want to get any closer to him, if possible.

I see the prince getting thinner by the second, is that possible?
The prince must have never lost a match, especially in the genre of love. Seeing a man who won 99 out of 100 matches, finally lose once. Ha-ha, this really is an A+ book.

“Come on dude, cheer up. There are many girls in this world, as many there are fish in the sea.” (Kururi)

“You are popular, so you can say that easily.” (Arc)

Saying I am popular, he opened up wounds that from my past life.

“First, let’s try something easy, why don’t you give a gift to the girl you’re interested in?” (Kururi)

“There is no like that for me right now.” (Arc)

He is probably thinking about Iris right now.

“The last time I gave a gift, they made an uncomfortable expression, and I think they might have hated it.” (Arc)

“Oh, what did you give?” (Kururi)

“A diamond necklace.” (Arc)

“.....” (Kururi)

“Why are you silent?” (Arc)

“Huh.” (Kururi)

“What was the gift bad? Has my sense of gifts or accessories have deteriorated that much?” (Arc)

“No, please calm down.” (Kururi)

“Well, then what was wrong?” (Arc)

“Well normally, you don’t give a girl you just met a gift like that. Wouldn’t anyone be scared of a person like that?” (Kururi)

“I do not understand..... I do not understand that type of feeling.” (Arc)

I do not understand the feeling of people. I do not understand how humans work. Humans are scary. Human.....

[TLnote: This is a reference to Astroboy, an anime about a robot boy, I think it was the 5th episode that he said these lines.]

It is an attitude that seems to continue.

It can’t be helped, let me help him before he becomes a beast.

“I gave a girl a flower before and they were very happy with the gift.” (Kururi)

“Flower... then I will give a garden of flowers!” (Arc)

“No, that is not what I meant; they will also be scared of that.” (Kururi)

“.... I do not understand that feeling.” (Arc)

Humans..... The rest is omitted.

“No, just one or two flowers are enough.” (Kururi)

“One? Wouldn’t that seem like you’re cheap?” (Arc)

“No, not really. A flower that only grows at a particular garden will show both effort and thoughtfulness to the person you are giving it to. A flower like that exists in my domain.” (Kururi)

“Oh, I understand that feeling!” (Arc)

Human... Human beings are warm. Human beings are friendly. Human beings love each other.

Sorry, I will stop making fun of the Prince.

[TLnote: He is still quoting Astroboy in his mind.]

After telling him about the flower, the prince told me to guide him to where that flower grows.

I lead him to the biggest garden in my domain. This place will absolutely have that flower.

“The name of flower is “Hamaio”. It is a flower with 6 different petals with the colors red, white, blue, yellow, green, and pink. A very strange flower, which in flower language means “*that today will be a miracle*”, just by finding the flower will let you absolutely obtain happiness.” (Kururi)

“Oh! Just by hearing it my energy is coming back. I will find this then.....No!

After I find this flower, is where everything starts.” (Arc)

“Yes, that’s the attitude prince.” (Kururi)

“Thank you, Kururi. You can head back by yourself; I want to find this flower by myself.” (Arc)

“Ok, good luck!” (Kururi)

After my talk with the prince I returned to the mansion and enjoyed my vacation with Rahsa.

The vacation after I took care of the prince was much better. Rahsa is a really nice guy, Vain is funny, and Iris always gives a fresh feeling. What a good vacation!

While we were having so much fun, Arc was still looking for the flower. I was having so much fun that I kind of forgot about him.

3 days later, he came back to me in a half crying state. He did not find the flower.

The prince also got even thinner.

“It’s alright.” (Kururi)

The prince’s spring may never ever come again. **[TLnote: Spring means love to most Japanese.]**

Blacksmith V3 C6

Hello, the editor for c6 has finished while c5 is still in editing read at your caution

There is no point to the F5 sect to come I won't be getting the chapter until tomorrow Thank you Alchyr and his friends for editing my garbage english

One more thing, this chapter and C5 have very little to do with each other
----- Rahsa pulled Arc into the carriage by force, to finally leave my domain.

"Aniki, I feel that I caused you a lot of trouble this time, please forgive me."
(Rahsa)

Rahsa apologized for his brother's impropriety.

Rahsa was a model guest during his stay.

Rahsa was a really good little brother during his stay here, even to his actual brother.

There were no inconveniences concerning him.

"Rahsa didn't bother me at all, you really did not bother me." (Kururi)
I emphasized that Rahsa didn't bother me, but someone else did.

"Since my brother was quite troublesome, next time I promise to come alone.
At that time, please, once again take care of me." (Rahsa)

"Yeah, make sure to come alone." (Kururi)

I put emphasis on coming alone.

I've had enough of the first prince.

Since it's my vacation, I want to be able to properly enjoy it.

"Well, we'll see you soon Aniki." (Rahsa)

"Rahsa, you can come again anytime you please." (Kururi)

"Thank you, I will definitely come again." (Rahsa) Rahsa's carriage left.

There was a real ghostly aura around the carriage for some reason, so we

performed purification on it.

“Rahsa really left.” (Iris)

Iris seems to be really lonely

Rahsa.....

“Yeah, me too, I feel really lonely now that Arc and Rahsa have gone.” (Kururi)

“Yeah, I finally got along with Rahsa.” (Iris)

Rahsa again....

“Man, I wonder when ARC and Rahsa will come again?” (Kururi)

“Rahsa said that he’ll be busy for a while, and won’t have a vacation until winter.”

Rahsa again, she really does not care about Arc.

“Well, Iris, shall we head back?” (Kururi)

“Yeah.” (Iris)

I really had a good vacation these past few days.

I’m feeling fine, but Vain and Iris came here to work, so they aren’t wearing very relaxed expressions.

Even though they don’t look very relaxed, I don’t intend to just give up on the reason they came here.

I am going to ask them to work right now.

Of course, I do realize that they feel this way, thus I will choose something fun and easy for them to do.

“Vain, Iris can I ask you two do some work?” (Kururi)

“Finally, I was so bored!” (Vain)

“Of course.” (Iris)

I am planning to start selling the face masks that Toto made.

I’ll focus on the Villa area first, and then expand after seeing the results.

“Vain, can you bring all the face masks to Lotson? He already knows what to do, so just follow his lead afterwards.” (Kururi)

“Alright.” (Vain)

“Are you fine with selling them with me, Iris?” (Kururi)

“Yup!” (Iris)

We went straight to the Villa region; the face masks were carried with care by Vain and Lotson.

Lotson made a space for us to sell the face masks in the Villa region. We lined up the goods and laid them out for everyone to see.

“Welcome, welcome, we’re selling face masks here.” (Kururi)
I call out to the ladies and housewives that pass by us.

“We, eh, have face masks here.” (Iris)

Iris is not used to this, but she is trying really hard.

“Oh, what is that?” (Customer A)

A middle age woman comes up to us and asks what our product is. She looks like she has money to spare on rare and unknown items.

I pulled a customer in, and now it’s time for the sales pitch.

I try to analyze the details of the customer to make the right pitch. The person in question is a 40 year old housewife and looks like she spends a lot of money on beauty supplies.

“This, madam, is a face mask; it is a wonderful item that can drastically improve the quality of your skin.” (Kururi)

“Oh, is that true?” (Customer A)

“Yes Madam, all the tests and results from our extensive research have shown the effects of the face mask to be wonderful and positive. Your skin, Madam, will become like a jar of Pudding, all purupuru.” (Kururi)

“Purupuru, really?” (Customer A)

“Yes, Really Madam.” (Kururi)

“Smooth, really?” (Customer A)

“I am not lying, Madam.” (Kururi)

“Well then, I will take one; how much?” (Customer A)

“Since Madam is our first customer, I will give you a special deal; 5 silver coins.” (Kururi)

“Ok.” (Customer A)

The madam just instantly pulled out the 5 silver coins from her purse. I thought she might bargain so I said 5 silver, but looks like it was nothing to her.

What astonishing purse power.

“How do I use it?” (Customer A)

“You take the leaf out of the container and put on your face. The leaf’s effect only lasts for 8 hours after being taken out; thus, please hurry to use it after taking it out.” (Kururi)

“Well then, thank you for the product, and if the effects are as you have said, I will be sure to come back for more.”(Customer A)

“Thank you for your purchase, and do come again, although our product is limited this time thus we may not have any left by the time you come back.”
(Kururi) Madam left quickly back to her villa.

Although she pretended not to care, her footwork shows that she somewhat believes in the effects.

Women are really weak to limited time beauty products.

“Yes, the first sale of the day!” (Iris)

“I know, I was surprised.” (Kururi)

“How much food can you buy with 5 silver coins?” (Iris) 5 silver coins is really not cheap, and actually very expensive.

It’s good that we got a sale so quickly.

“Will Toto be pleased?” (Iris)

“It depends on how the customers feel about the product after buying it.”
(Kururi)

We just sold a single one; don’t get distracted, focus on the sales.

The most important part of this product is that customer who bought it must come back or it will fail.

“Now, let’s focus and give it our all to sell even more.” (Kururi)

“Ok, let’s do our best!” (Iris)

“Oh, what are you selling here?” (Customer B)

Yes, another came!

This person is a 53 year old housewife, my scouter says her purse power is 5300.

“Madam, this is a face mask.” (Kururi)

“Oh, what are you selling here?” (Customer C)

Another woman comes up and asks.

“Madam, this is a face mask.” (Kururi)

“Oh, what are you selling here?” (Customer D)

Another woman comes up and asks.

“Madam, this is a face mask.” (Kururi) Wow, so many people are coming now; one after the other are asking what I’m selling here.

It seems it’s true that women are weak to line-ups.

Iris and I did our best and sold 90% of the product today.

The madams that were here all left coolly after spending their money.

“Well, today we did really well.” (Iris)

Iris said so with a very satisfied face.

“Yup, I was really surprised.” (Kururi) There was only one face mask left and it kind of withered away, so we decided to close for today.

Later, I will check on the customer reactions to the product and then plan for the future.

Though there does not seem to be problem with the face masks, feedback will allow us to sell even more while improving on the product.

I will come back here tomorrow and check on the results and decide on future plans after that.

“Iris, good work. Shall we go talk to Lotson and Vain, then return home?”

(Kururi)

“Ok.”(Iris)

Iris’s cheeks turned red after I said that, and she was smiling deeply.

She is a girl in love, this is a good thing. Hohoho.

“We have a little bit left over.” (Iris)

“Well, since we have a little bit left over, why don’t we share it with Vain and Lotson?” (kururi)

“That sounds fine.” (Iris)

Hearing Lotson come up again, Iris’s cheeks turned bright red. It seems that her cheeks turn red after she hears Lotson; you’re looking rather excited there, Iris.

“Lotson, Vain, good work.” (Kururi)

I went to the back and thanked both of them.

“I feel really good now, I knew that a hard day’s work is what gives people satisfaction.” (Vain)

Vain was very satisfied with the work. Really, I am thankful to Vain.

“I am glad that I could be of help today.” (Lotson)

Lotson also is a very good man whom I am thankful to.

Yup, today we worked really hard.

“Lotson, thanks for helping with the management of the Villa region. Please, take some of these face masks home with you.” (Kururi)

“I heard that it’s quite expensive?” (Lotson)

“It’s fine, I am really thankful for all the work Lotson does here. This is just a small repayment.” (Kururi)

“No, thank you for this, but I will only accept one sheet.” (Lotson)

“Is it for your sister who I’ve heard of?” (Kururi)

“Oh yes, I have told you about her, but no it is not for her, she is still too young to worry about things like this.” (Lotson)

“Who, then?” (Kururi)

“I think I will gift this to my wife.” (Lotson) Wife.....

Tsuma, tuna? No, wife!!!

TInote: Tsuma is Japanese for wife, and since tuna is close to that a pun is created.

“Hey!!!!” (Kururi)

You have a wife?!!!

Since when were you married?!!!!

I didn’t know at all!!!!

It caused my face to twitch and made my voice strange.

Iris fainted after hearing it.

Vain seemed to already know, so now he’s laughing his guts out.

Vain stop it, it’s a big deal.

“Everyone, what is the matter? Are you ok?” (Lotson)

Lotson seems to be panicking.

Noticing that Iris seems to have fainted, Vain catches her.

“Lotson is amazing.” (Kururi)

I gave Lotson a thumbs up and thought, he truly is amazing.

Blacksmith V3 C7

Hello, I will post two chap today maybe, depends on when the second editor gives me the chap.

anyway i can't post tmr so did my best with these two really long chaps.

opinion on the chap, Kururi really understand nothing of noble power struggles or realize the cards that are in his hands happens here and during the Toto incident.

Thanks to King of Mangonia for editing

Anyway no chaps tmr and so here is two really long chaps

Enjoy

Edit: sorry to whomever read the last version I accidentally posted the non edited. now it is fixed

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Blacksmith V3 C7

3 days after Lotson revealed his relationship status to Iris, Iris finally recovered from the shock and kept sighing every now and then.

Vain kept saying he was sorry for laughing, but I really didn't think he was actually sorry. To cheer Iris up from her loss, I took her out to hunt, and Vain came with us. This was the last thing we did before the both of them left for home.

Now that the guests have left, the house became really quiet, but my father also came back around the same time and was now saying that he can finally have the place to himself.

Although my father doesn't move much, he started skipping from happiness lately.

My father, the old man was skipping.

Impossible.

“Dad, calm down already.” (Kururi)

“Yes, I can finally enjoy myself around my own house, it has been so long.”
(Toral)

“Mom is going to get angry if you do not stop.” (Kururi)

“It’s fine, your dad is very happy now.” (Toral)

He says that while skipping and singing a tune with lalala.

I may have taken the house for too long and did not let him have freedom much.

Sorry dad, you can have your fun. I won’t stop you.

“Excuse me, an urgent report has come in.” (Servant)

An unusual report came and the servant who brought it had a very serious expression.

Something has happened, my dad’s rest was way too short.

“Dad, an urgent report came in.” (Kururi)

I took the servant to my dad and told him about it.

“What’s the matter, what is the report?” (Toral)

“The lord of the domain next to ours, Marl Karack-sama has come to domain and will arrive shortly.” (servant)

“What?!” (Toral)

My dad went from happy to distressed in one second flat.

“Oh, my leg, my leg.” (Toral)

I help my father that had hurt his leg and massage his leg.

“It is because you kept skipping.” (Kururi)

“ Sorry about the Kururi, but it is not that.” (Toral)

“What do you mean dad?” (Kururi)

“Karack Marl...” (Toral)

My dad is quite distressed.

What is he worried about.

Now that I think about, isn't the Marl domain the place where Iris lives?

I've heard he isn't a good lord to his people from those who moved here to the Helan domain.

Lord Marl's domain, I don't have a good impression of it.

What kind of person is this count?

“Dad, do you know lord Marl?” (kururi)

I ask my dad whose face is pale.

“That guy was...” (Toral)

“If it's a painful memory, there's no need to force yourself to tell me.” (Kururi)

“No that's not it son. Me and that guy were former classmates.” (Toral)

“Classmate” huh? So that was the kind of relationship you have, though clearly that word contains more.

“Marl, he was a perfect student in the past, he could do everything better than me, studying, sports etc.”(Toral)

“Yes”(Kururi)

“He was popular with the girls more so than me as well.”(Toral)

“Yes I understand.” (Kururi)

“One day, we got into a fight and I lost then. I felt inferior to him in so many ways that each time I saw his face, I got reminded of that fight and once again felt afraid.” (Toral)

“I understand dad, there is no need for you to meet him. I will see him and deal with the situation.” (Kururi)

“No son, I can't let you do that. I understand him and need to deal with him. I can't leave everything to my son, or else how can I call myself your father.” (Toral)

My dad had a nice look on his face.

I thought he was really cool right now.

How bad of a person is Marl?

Such a person is coming to our domain without an announcement in advance, what an ego.

This is clearly going to be bad news.

“Well dad, then lets meet him together, as father and son.” (Kururi)

“Is that alright, Kururi?” (Toral)

“Of course, let’s go through both painful and harsh times together as family.” (Kururi)

“Hahaha, I really have a good son. I can’t stay like this then.” (Toral)

My dad stomped on the ground with the foot he hurt and got up quickly.

I heard that the faces of men or women who go to the battlefield have really nice eyes. I think right now that my father has those kind of eyes.

I also have to get ready to face the enemy as well.

“Hey, it’s been a long time hasn’t it Toral.” (Marl)

“Oh yes, it has been a very long time Lord Marl.” (Toral)

The person that just came in is Lord Marl. He came in like he owned the place and sat down on the sofa without a single worry.

I suddenly felt my mood worsen because of the attitude he was taking with my dad.

My dad talked in a polite manner, but this guy just talks like he looks down on my dad.

I felt a nauseating sensation from looking at him as well.

But is the person in front me actually the person my dad was talking about? I thought of someone like the prince, but this guy is way too different from what I’ve heard.

I thought of a person that looked like your basic version of a good looking man who had everything, you know like Jotaro Kujo.

Tlnote: just google Jojo anime because apparently there is a singer with that name. he is the first guy you see.

But this creature in front is really that Lord Marl. He had the face of two pigs and looked like he had several pigs inside his stomach. My dad said he was intelligent, but from what I see, I would be glad if he could do 1+1.

That guy is Jotaro Kujo. I really hope that this is a prank made by the real Marl to tease my dad.

Did my dad somehow increase his image of Marl in his mind because of fear?

I kind of somehow understand that.

“Toral, you haven’t changed.” (Marl)

“Lord Marl has not changed at all too.” (Toral)

Oh it was my dad’s weird imagination.

There is no way in hell that this guy was popular with the girls.

“Sorry, but I would like to hurry this up and ask you something.” (Marl)

“No I do not mind at all. What is it that you want to ask?”(Toral)

Marl sat like he owned everything in my domain and kept up with the rude attitude.

I felt more angered and irritated by them every passing minute he has been here.

“Toral your domain has been prosperous lately hasn’t it?” (Marl)

“Yes, thanks to our reforms.” (Toral)

“Yes, because of those reforms, many of my workers have left and traveled here, thus the taxes I receive have been decreased as well.”(Marl)

“Well, yes that is what has happened.” (Toral)

“ I want you to compensate me by giving me money or by giving me workers from your domain.” (Marl)

“ That is not possible. The kingdom does not allow that, and movement of citizens is not enforced by capital law.” (Toral)

“ Then just hand over the money and I will leave.” (Marl)

I was listening from behind my father, but he was just talking crap.

From what I heard from Iris, the tax is really heavy in his domain, so people moving to my domain is only natural considering the low taxes and favorable job opportunities.

A lord is supposed to satisfy the people and keep his domain prosperous, but this pig acts like he’s the victim instead.

No from his attitude, he knows what is happening in his domain, and just acts like nothing’s wrong.

I understand that my father had given into a lot of his demands before, but it is not going to happening this time .

“Oink, oink, oink, You sure say a lot selfish things as a pig.” (Kururi)

I am already at the end of my rope with this guy. I thought originally that it would be a very civil and respectful conversation, but his attitude and selfishness, and more than anything else the way he is looking down on my dad. I just can’t stand this kind of thing.

“What are you speaking about? Toral get him out of here. Outsiders should know their place.” (Marl)

“My name is Kururi Helan, and I am the next lord of this domain and son of Toral Helan. I am in no way an outsider.”

“Toral, control your child.” (Marl)

“Kururi...” (Toral)

“Dad please be silent right now, I will deal with him. Count Marl, what you are saying is impossible and will never stand. Please leave this instance.” (Kururi)

“Nope, that is not happening. My domain has suffered due your domain being better, thus you must compensate me.” (Marl)

“Then for compensation for the damages, I will let you take 10 watermelons

back with you. (Kururi)

“That is not enough for compensation!”(Marl)

“Oh, 15 then, but other than 15 watermelons, you will not be leaving with anything else.” (Kururi)

“Amazing, I am really troubled now.” (Marl)

Marl was stroking his chin.

Did he really think I would accept that kind of demand?

It was nice to have my father as your classmates wasn't it.

But now there is me, thus you shall not pass anymore.

“Toral, convince you foolish son already.” (Marl)

“Kururi...” (Toral)

“What are you afraid of dad? You should be kicking his ass, not giving into his demands. You are in the right here dad, no matter what anyone says.” (Kururi)

I tell dad to get rid of Marl confidently because we are in the right.

“Toral!!” (Marl)

“Dad!” (Kururi)

My father kept his head down and didn't look like he was going to answer, but this was fine with me.

No reply here means he agrees with my point of getting them out of here.

Afterwards, I will forcibly make him leave.

“Toral, you have always been like that. Always keeping quiet at tough times. I will ask again, is your answer to my request no?” (Marl)

“No, we will not give in to your demands.” (Kururi)

Count Marl glares at me and I glare back.

If I give up here and look away, then I will lose.

“Well then, let me change the way I am asking. I am going to call senior Deauville here.” (Marl)

“What! Ayan Deauville?” (Toral)

There was no way I did not know the name Ayan Deauville.

The prime minister of the country.

His power over the country could be only rivaled by the king's.

But in actuality, his power is definitely greater than king's due to his connections, and he is also Eliza's father.

In the original game work, he is dismissed due to fraud being discovered by the prince but right now he is safe.

The prime minister is his senior!?

“Toral, because your son provoked me, I will now have to involve someone else for you to take it seriously.” (Marl)

“Deauville...” (Toral)

My dad face turned pale from the fright he was given.

“Toral, let me inform your idiot son of our relationship. Deauville senior and I have been friends since school days, I am loved by him and have been close to him even now after our graduation.” (Marl)

I see the pig face smile while I feel a cold sweat roll down my neck. The momentum completely changed to his direction, and what's more annoying is that he thinks that he is still better than us.

“ I had only plan on asking for a little money from your father but seeing your attitude boy, I have changed my mind. I will ask senior Deauville to help take this entire domain secretly from you people.” (Marl)

He made a sick laugh that seemed like it could only come from a pig.

From my dad face, I can tell that this story is true, and this man does have connections with the prime minister.

Was Eliza's dad being used for this kind of thing why he got dismissed?

What are you doing future father-in-law.

Crap, I have nothing that can oppose the prime minister, so the only outcome

is of him winning.

I have the card of the future queen, but she is not the queen now, and I am not even sure she will even become the queen in future anymore.

“I apologize for taking an impolite attitude, but I do not want to call the Prime Minister I apologize, so please.” (Kururi)

“No, no, I don’t understand you apology, are not you offering money?” (Marl)

“We will deliver special products *etc.* as much as possible, although our territory is prospering, we cannot afford to spare any money, please forgive me.” (Kururi)

“Kid, you really are stupid aren’t you. You understand nothing, he is exactly your son Toral. Stupid just like you were in school, the complete and utter genes of a fool in him!” (Marl)

He is just saying whatever he wants, this is the first time in my entire life that I had to swallow something like this but I have no choice.

Although I don’t think this will work, I will be bothered if you call the prime minister.

I just started to bring back the domain, there is no extra money after I just put in the reforms.

I have bow my head to protect my domain.

“ Please, I am very sorry but do not call the prime minister, or asks for money.” (Kururi)

I am desperate and have nothing else left to play, please let this work.

“You really are fool. I will not listen to a kid, I am going to call senior Deauville! Hahahahahahahahaha.” (Marl)

Is it no good?

I ruined our domain with my foolish act.

I truly did not know anything.

“Kururi...” (Toral)

I heard my father call my name and when I looked at him, I could see in his eyes that he was angry.

“Kururi, there is no need to apologize.” (Toral)

“But, dad” (Kururi)

My dad stood in front of Marl.

“Count Marl.... No you stupid pig” (Toral)

“huh, what is it?” (Marl)

I almost couldn't hear what my father had said to him.

He called him a stupid pig, my dad to his mortal enemy?

“ I will take as much abuse you can throw at me, but I will not allow you to insult my brilliant son!!!. Take this you stupid pig!!!” (Toral)

Immediately as he was screaming this, my dad punches the chin of Marl.

Marl gets hit hard and falls off the chair.

“Toral, you!!!” (Marl)

Marl got a good punch to the chin. I didn't know my father had it in him.

“Listen you stupid pig!! Call the prime minister or the king! Once you do we will fully declare war on you!” (Toral)

“ I told you through discussion Toral. You will regret this.” (Marl)

“I can't understand your stupid pig language, now leave my domain at once.” (Toral)

“Toral, you bastard, there is no going back after this!” (Marl)

“ I do not plan on going back. If you don't leave soon, I will order the guards to kill you!” (Toral)

“heee.” (Marl)

After the exchange, Marl ran out to his carriage like a scared pig.

As I approached my father, his body was shaking a little.

My cowardly father did well, for his foolish son.

“Dad, you were cool.” (Kururi)

“right?” (Toral)

In that way I grasped the shivering hands of my dad and gave him a thumbs up.

“... Kururi, what shall I do?” (Toral)

After the awake mode was over, he went back to my usual lovable father.

This is better, I like this one more.

Somehow I think so.

“Leave it to me afterwards” (Kururi)

I told my father with smile.

Blacksmith V3 C8

Hello

I read a lot of complaints and discussion on the actions of our MC. so I will tell now a perfectly good reason why he does not realise the cards in his hands.

He does not consider them to be cards, he only considers them to be friends and nothing more, he can asks for favours but does not want them to get involve in his troubles and bring them to ruin as well with him. though I don't know why the author can possibly think the 2 princes can be brought to ruin but this is the main reason.

Kururi does not realise the cards because he does no consider them to be cards. we as readers have read way too many novels and stories where the MC is not pure or innocent to a fault. Kururi as a thought back to himself in C4 had said it, that he is innocent and pure, this event will allow him to realise his inability to act or understand and how foolish he was.

This will the only chapter released today

Thank you to Rin for editing this chapter

Enjoy

Oh yea forgot, Finally best girl is here.

I coolly told my father to leave it me, but I cannot think of anything at all. Coming up with measures to counter someone like the prime minster is hard, and my head just stopped thinking completely.

To escape reality, I invited Vain to fish with me.

“What’s wrong?” (Vain)

“Oh, nothing is wrong. Do you see something wrong?” (Kururi)

“I do — it’s like the time with Iris” (Vain)

Oh, he got it right.

Iris and I both have been having a terrible summer vacation.
The thought of the Prime minster coming made my stomach hurt.

It’s only on this kind of day that the fish seem to bite.

“Got another bite.” (Kururi)

“ Another one? That’s the fifth one.” (Vain)

I didn’t remember being this good at fishing.
Do the fish see me deep in thought and think, ‘Oh, he is not paying attention. It is time to get the food’.
I am looking since I came here to fish.

“Oh, another bite.” (Kururi)

“Again?” (Vain)

I am overwhelming the nature kid Vain.
What is it, I wonder; I have been having good luck with winning against strong people.

I sure have, haven’t I?
But this time I do not feel like celebrating victories.
It is not like I celebrate victories all the time.
Going fishing was to escape the looming reality.
In the end, I caught 10 fish.

The day of judgement finally came.
Me and my dad — both of us — our stomachs were in a bad condition on that day.

Since I did not want to cause trouble for Iris and Vain, I told Lotson to take them to another town away from the mansion.

The servant told us, father and son, that the guests have arrived. This sentence felt like a death sentence to this father-son combo.

And, finally, the prime minster walked into the room.

The person had a very slender body and had sharp eyes like Eliza. They are,

after all, parent and daughter.

He was a very attractive person, and, now that he had aged quite well, I could say with full confidence that he was an “elderly dandy” kind of person.

The person behind him was Marl. His arrival just ruined the atmosphere in the room. He was rubbing his hands together like a merchant making a sale. He did not have the same attitude as before, but his face was still the same pig face.

“Welcome. Please, have a seat.” (Toral)

Both of them sat down before my dad finished speaking.

Eliza’s dad had a big attitude, but had elegance as well. He did not make me feel uncomfortable at all.

Marl was grinning like hell, and was inelegant as usual.

“Toral Helan, it has been awhile, hasn’t it? We have met several times in the capital, but this is the first time we have spoken face to face since school, isn’t it?” (Ayan)

“Yes. Deauville-sama did speak to me a few times when I was at school, but, otherwise, we saw each other at school.” (Toral)

My dad got completely absorbed by the atmosphere and gave them the upper-hand.

Though, it is not like I could say anything either. I was also absorbed by the atmosphere and did the same thing. We may already be losing this battle.

At this rate, we will agree to anything they say.

“However, when I see the domain of your Toral, it is beautiful like always. The reforms and advancement you have made as lord of this domain are truly impressive. You are the perfect example of what a lord should be and one I would like to have the other lords follow in example.” (Ayan)

“Oh, no, I have done almost nothing. My son is the one leading the reforms and advancements in our domain. He truly is the jewel of my heart.” (Toral)

“Oh, is that so? Is the person next to you, your son...? Kururi was it?” (Ayan)

“Yes, I am Kururi Helan, your excellency.” (Kururi)

Due to him suddenly addressing me, I accidentally named myself.
He is glaring at me for some reason.

He continued to glare at me. If glaring at me is going to change your mind, please continue.
But if it will not change your mind, please stop. My stomach is starting to hurt.

“My daughter Eliza and Kururi are classmates. Thus, I have heard a lot about him.” (Ayan)

He heard a lot from Eliza....Oh, we lost.
So he heard about that incident huh?

Well, our family is done for now. I truly sorry dad!

“Um, senior can you please move on to the main topic?” (Marl)

Marl changed the topic back to the main event.

I swear to god, when I get the chance, I will make him rue this day.
I had that kind of feeling coursing through my veins.

“Oh, yes, I am not that free right now. I would like to bathe in your famous hot springs, but I still have work to do in the capital.” (Ayan)

“The main point?” (Toral)

My dad and I gulped.
‘It’s okay, that is why I became a blacksmith. It was because I was expecting us to fall ruin, so I aimed to become a blacksmith.
I can feed my family as a blacksmith.’ With this kind of thinking, I was able to keep calm.

“ I heard that you hit my junior the other day, Toral.” (Ayan)
“Yes, I am very sorry for that. I am reflecting on that.” (Toral)
My dad got up and bowed his head to Ayan. Upon seeing my dad like that, I also bowed my head to him.

“Now, now, do not be violent Toral, you are not young anymore. We all are from the same school and know each very well. Sometimes it is fine to settle things in a fight, but those kind of days are over now.” (Ayan)

“Yes, it is as you say.” (Toral)

“ Yes, the times of when we were students have been long over now. If I could talk with my fist right now, I would, but since we are all in positions of power, we must take care to not create conflict between us. Now, please apologize to

Marl and pay for the medical expenses. (Ayan)

“Yes, Lord Marl, my son and I are very sorry for what happened the other day, and will pay for the medical expenses.”

“Good. That is the right attitude to take with me. Now, since it was just one punch we will let bygones be bygones.”

Marl, the pig, is grinning, because he is currently standing beside a lion. The fact that I have to lower my head to this guy is disgusting, but if it saves my family, I will do it.

It is frustrating, but I lower my head hoping this is all it will take to appease the prime minister.

“Since Toral has apologized, we are done with this case right Marl?” (Ayan)

“Yes, senior you are always so dependable” (Marl)

Marl rubs his hands again. I hope he burns his fingerprints off.

“Ok, so I will now go back to the capital Marl.” (Ayan)

The prime minister gets up and claps his hands to signal that the discussion was over.

He really is light isn't

his hands are..... [Ed. Note: ??]

“EHHHHHHH!!!!” (Marl) (Toral) (kururi)

All three of us voiced a question.

the three other people in the room, Marl, dad and even me.

We were all surprised by the statement the prime minister said.

The question all of us had was the same:

We are done? This is all we had to do?

The first to voice a complaint was the culprit of the this incident, Marl.

“Senior, what do you mean, ‘the end’?” (Marl)

“Yes, we are done here. There is nothing left to do, so I will go back to the capital.” (Ayan)

“Why? This discussion is not over yet, senior. If it ends here, then my having called on you would be meaningless.” (Marl)

“What is it now? You already received a sincere apology from Toral. Are we not done here?” (Ayan)

“ No, senior. I never cared about the apology. I do not care for honor or things like that. I only care for....” (Marl)

Marl stopped speaking as the expression on Ayan Deauville changed.

The atmosphere in the room changed completely to an atmosphere filled with hostility and anger.

As expected of the person who climbed up to the highest position a person can attain without being royalty.

The atmosphere created by him caused all three of us to stop moving.

“Think of my position.” (Ayan)

“Your position — are you not the highest ranked person in the kingdom aside from the king, himself?”

“No, there is someone higher” (Ayan)

He pointed his index finger skyward.

Ayan Deauville made a very stern face and made Marl shut up completely. The prime minster leaves the room with long and beautiful strides. A servant of ours leads him outside.

Marl, since he could not do anything anymore leaves as well.

Me and my dad stared at the door for a while.

We both felt as though storm came and left without doing any damage at all. We looked at each other and began laughing our heads off in relief.

“Do you want go see them off?” (Toral)

I agreed with my dad’s idea and went to see them off.

When I left the mansion, both carriages had already left. I went to a place where I could see both carriages still and, thus, see them off.

It seems that we, father and son, are more alike than I thought.

“They have gone.”(Toral)

“Yup.” (Kururi)

“Do you think the domain is safe?” (Toral)

“Yes, I think so.” (Kururi)

“Kururi, can I go relax at the hot springs?”(Toral)

“Yes. Of course, dad.”

This time I see my dad off in his carriage, and breathed another sigh of relief.

As I was returning to the mansion, I saw a figure of person who should not be here in the garden.

She had beautiful hair, and was the pinnacle of beauty itself.

She had tough eyes that I found cute in contrast to her appearance.

She waved at me as I went to her.

“Eliza.” (Kururi)

“Long time no see.” (Eliza)

Blacksmith V3 C9 V2

Hello

First I am sorry for posting this so late even though the editor got to around 12

Secondly: This person is new to editing thus please forgive us for our mistakes

Third Eliza is best girl

fourth: can someone count how many times beautiful was said?

Thank you Kenneth for the edit

Thank you kuronyan for the second edit

Now that I think about it, the Prime Minister said something.
Something about where he had to think of his position and there was a person above the king.

But in this country, there would be nobody higher than the king objectively.

“Eliza, did you help me by saying something to your father?” (Kururi)

“Oh, I did nothing to help you.” (Eliza)

“Did you perhaps say something about the Helan domain?”

“Oh my, now what would that be?” (Eliza)

She said with obvious mischief in her smile. Yup, she did something.

“Well, I will leave at that...but thank you very much Eliza you saved me.”
(Kururi)

“Oh my, were you in trouble of some kind, I just wanted to visited a friend during summer vacation.” (Eliza)

“Well, then milady, will you allow me to escort you around my beautiful

domain?" (Kururi)

"Yes, thank you very much." (Eliza)

I took the hand of Eliza like it was natural and showed her the way into the mansion.

I screamed "*Kyaa~!*" in my heart after thinking of my actions, but I calmed myself down very quickly.

My mood was great now and I did not want to make a big deal out of this. By the way, holding hands is allowed in our society.

I invited Eliza into the mansion and showed her the garden. I told her to wait a bit while I went to get a watermelon.

I cut the watermelon in half and then again in half to make 4 pieces in front of her.

I sat directly next to Eliza and gave her a piece of the watermelon.

"What is this?" (Eliza)

"This is a watermelon, a fresh fruit and it is quite tasty too." (Kururi)

"Wow, how unusual." (Eliza)

She said so, but then she quickly takes a bite of it.

"Amazing, this is quite delicious."

I saw her smile. I saw her beautiful smile with my eyes.

"I know, right?" (Kururi)

I also took a bite of the watermelon and eat it. It's sweet and juicy.

"By the way, what should I do with the seeds?" (Eliza)

"Oh that, you do this." (Kururi)

I started to shoot the seeds out of my mouth.

Only someone who is a pro, like me, could shoot the seed that far and hide it in a bush.

"This is the proper way to enjoy a watermelon." (Kururi)

"Um...isn't that quite vulgar?" (Eliza)

Now that she said it, I did feel it was quite vulgar.

"Certainly, I don't expect a proper lady like Eliza to do this action." (Kururi)

Then I heard the sound of a seed shooting next to me while I was saying that.

“Yes Eliza! That is the proper way to eat and enjoy a watermelon!!” (Kururi)

“Do I get a passing mark?” (Eliza)

“110/100 points, I think that went further than mine.” (Kururi)

“Is it better to go far?” (Eliza)

“Its best if you can hide in a bush while getting it far.” (Kururi)

She laughed when I said that.

When I looked at her in a glance, I realized she truly is beautiful and she becomes especially beautiful when she laughs.

Her lips that are wet from the watermelon are truly beautiful more than anything....

I pretended to take another piece of watermelon while secretly glancing at her.

Yup, she truly is beautiful.

[TLnote: you thought he was gonna kiss her but it was actually a feint.]

I think this the first time Eliza and I are talking like this. There is nobody else home right now; it's only just the two of us.

No, no, no. Don't let wicked thoughts in your head.

[TLnote: no go for it idiot]

“But even though shooting the seed is fun, I feel that if it didn't exist we could eat the fruit more luxuriously.” (Eliza)

“Yes, but I feel that it might be a bit lonely if I did that.”

“Oh is that so? Well, I think eliminating hindrances will be more fun.”(Eliza)

Oh. I just got a chill in my back.

“Are you going to be here for a while?” (Kururi)

“No, sadly, I can only stay here for today.” (Eliza)

“Then let me show you around my domain, I have many more beautiful things to show you.” (Kururi)

“Yes, lets, that sounds fun.”

We finish eating the watermelon and prepared to head out and tour the domain.

But before we go, I want to introduce Moran to Eliza.

We saw Moran in the library and said hello.

“This is old man Moran. Moran this is Eliza Deauville, a friend from school and someone who is visiting the Domain for today.” (Kururi)

“Hello, it is very nice to meet you. I am Eliza Deauville.” (Eliza)

Eliza bows, in a very beautiful way, and greets Moran.

“Well, well, well, quite the beautiful little girl came to visit this old man.”
(Moran)

Moran raised his head from the book he was reading and greeted us.

“Moran here knows a lot of things and has taught me a lot of things as well when I was little. I bothered him a lot but he put up with it.” (Kururi)

“No young master, you were no trouble at all, in fact you were much as little girl.” (Moran)

“Moran has a way with words which cause him to age every time he says them, Moran you should really watch out, you don’t have that long left.” (Kururi)

“As expected of Young master, what a way with words, you have the most poisonous tongue in the entire country. But young master please do not worry this old man will not die until he fulfills his ambitions.” (Moran)

Moran then hits his chest, showing that he is still fine.

From what I see this old man will still live until 200.

Thinking of such things, I felt relieved.

“The elder must watch out and not work very hard.” (Eliza)

He was also told by Eliza to take it easy.

“Yes, it is exactly as you easy Miss Eliza. Such a sensible and brilliant woman must marry to our great Helan domain.” (Moran)

Eliza shies away while Moran is laughing.

It seems that the two get along greatly.

In just a few minutes, they both started to bond and talk about daily life.

Although Eliza looks unapproachable, it seems that to Moran she looks like a normal girl and someone who he could talk to normally. It was surprising.

We both left old man Moran and are now going to Donga.

We only rode one horse, Eliza in the front while I am in the back holding the reins. We sat like I was embracing her.

I was quite excited.
She smelled really nice, and her hair felt silky smooth.

“Master, your favorite disciple has returned to visit.” (Kururi)
“Go back, fool!!” (Donga)
“I will not go back! Eliza, this is my master who taught me how to smith and weld. He is obediently obstinate like he looks.” (Kururi)
“Ha, I can see that.” (Eliza)
Eliza seems to be convinced by my words.
Master as usual is working hard.

“Hey, stupid disciple, come in already. Do you want something to eat?”
(Donga)
“Eliza, you see the technique he used there is called ‘Tsunidere’.” (Kururi)
“Tsunidere?” (Eliza)
“Yes ‘Tsunidere’. This is a high level technique that requires a lot of courage and will to pull off. This technique involves being cold to someone while, at the next instant, be nice as well. He has been like that since forever and dotes on me a lot.” (Kururi)
“Hehe. Yes, I feel that.” (Eliza)
“Shut up, just come in already!” (Donga)

We entered the room and ate the sweets he gave us.
I am welcomed here like usual. Master really dotes on me.
“Is this your fiancée?” (Donga)
Eliza again shies away and Master seeing her act that, smiles.

“Well, I don’t know anything about noble tradition but I also got married pretty young. So if you need anything for the wedding, say it.” (Donga)
“Yes, I will think about it in the future.” (Kururi)
“Besides, the girl that you have right there is beautiful. I think she will make a very good bride and mother. If you have kids in the future, remember to show them to me.” (Donga)
“Yes, master.” (Kururi)
Somehow my meeting with master became something like ‘*presenting my future wife to my parents*’ kind of thing. I quickly got out of my master’s place before he could say something else like that.

Eliza is still acting shyly from the earlier conversation.

As expected, my master is still quite lively.

I took Eliza to the hot springs. I led her to the very special one, where the spring is surrounded by the flower garden. We quickly moved over there.

As soon as I got to the hot spring, I saw my dad there with a bottle of the highest priced sake in hand.

“Dad, you come to this hot spring?” (Kururi)

“Oh, Kururi! Yeah, this one is the best. I am quite relieved now. Huh, that girl...Is that my daughter?” (Toral)

My dad pointed his finger at Eliza without knowing that she is the daughter of the person he almost peed his pants against.

Haha, let me drop a little rain on my dad parade.

“Here is the Prime Minister’s daughter, Eliza Deauville.” (Kururi)

“Oh, you... Ayan-sama’s daughter? How rude of me. It is a pleasure to meet you.”(Toral)

My father bowed to Eliza and shook her hand.

Strange, my father’s stomach is not hurting right now. Why!?

My totally weak dad has absolutely no caution towards Eliza.

Rather he seems to get along with her just fine.

Eliza and my dad spoke for a while and then he went back to the mansion.

Eliza and I went inside the hot springs.

I am alone in the men’s bath thinking of what happened today.

Although the meeting with the Prime minister was tough, I am glad I got to see Eliza again. Seeing her ability to adapt to all the people she met was amazing.

I think she may have liked it. Meeting old man Moran, my master and even father, who I expected to say his stomach hurt, was fine with meeting her.

Really, if this keeps up, I think we will be married by the end of the day. Well, I will still be fine with it because Eliza is both nice and beautiful. So if I could marry her, I think I would be incredibly blessed.

I started to get dizzy from the heat of the bath and got out. **[EDnote: Dude, you aren’t even official yet.]**

I am waiting for Eliza in the lounge.
She looked sexier now compared to before.
Eliza wiping her hair with the towel was especially erotic.

“Oh, hey, Eliza how was the hot spring?” (Kururi)
All of a sudden, I felt nervous.
“It was wonderful. There is still the fragrance of flowers on my body.” (Eliza)
No, you are the most wonderful thing in this world. I don’t have the courage to say that.
She was still wiping her hair with the towel. I looked at her with my gentleman eyes.
No wait, right now would be my perverted eyes.

“Do you want something to drink?” (Kururi)
“Yes, that would be great. Can I have some cold tea?” (Eliza)
I gave her the cold tea and she immediately drank it.
It seemed she was really thirsty.
The sweat flowing from her neck and the tea dripping down from her mouth was all beautiful and vivid.
I fought the impulse to touch her hair many times right now.
Stop it mind!!!

Before I noticed it, I watched her drinking the tea to the end.
“Please do not stare so much.” (Eliza)
I was told to do that.
Dude how old are you? Keep yourself in check already.
What? Have you never seen such a beautiful girl before?
I wonder, what Eliza thinks of me? Just thinking of that makes me depressed.

“Thanks to you I was able to spend a wonderful day today.” (Eliza)
Eliza who finished her tea started talking.
“Did you like my domain?” (Kururi)
“Yes, it was very beautiful.” (Eliza)
“Everyone also loved Eliza.” (Kururi)
“It was pleasure to meet them.” (Eliza)
“Eliza, if you ever have time, please come again. I know everyone will be delighted to meet you.” (Kururi)

“Yes, I will definitely come again.” (Eliza)

By the time we got out of the hot springs, it was time for Eliza to return to the capital.

I felt sad at that fact. I saw Eliza off in her carriage and then quietly went home myself.

In this one day, Eliza and I went around the Domain. I had a lot of fun. Now that it was over, I wondered why I did all that today.

I wondered why I showed all the people that taught me and cared for over years to her.

It was strange, but it felt good as well.

Eliza looked happy today and that is all that matters to me. In this hot summer day, I made some good memories .

Blacksmith V3 C10

Hello

I will tell you now that I post this and not 9 yet is because 9 is long and such the edit is taking longer than this chapter

Secondly: This chapter and past have complete and utter no relation to each other, like you could think they are so unrelated that if someone new who did know about the events of the past two chapters they would think this is the next chapter

Thanks you perp ya for editing the chapter

Edit: Hey guys bear with me for 7 hours I will fix this chap as soon as I get to a computer or do guys what me to remove this post and then just wait until I fixed it?

Edit: 2 got to a computer

Blacksmith V3 C10

According to the reports from the people, the monsters in the domain have increased. I used to get the knights or mercenaries to subdue the monsters but now that I have a party of the best people, let's go kick ass.

Iris has finally calmed down after the incident with Lotson. It will not be problem for her and I think it will be better for her to move her body.

Vain will come to join with force, no doubt about that.

I took both of them out to the forest to clear the monsters.

"Well since we are a party of 3, let's decide the positions." (Kururi)

"I will be the vanguard." (Vain)

Vain is totally on board and ready.

Vain is swinging his sword, looking all refreshed.

Well with Vain in the front there will be no problems.
He is good with both defense and offense.

“Does Iris want to be in the front or back?” (Kururi)
“I also want to be in the vanguard.” (Iris)
“Ok, then I will take the back and support you guys.” (Kururi)

Iris contrary to her appearance is a battle maniac; she can take any position in battle. Since she wants to be in the front then I will let her.

“Shall we go?” (Kururi)

As soon as we entered the forest, we felt a weird pressure.

“The forest is filled with malice....When this kind of thing happens; it usually means that a lot of monsters are here.” (Vain)
If it is Vain who loves to kill monster the one saying it, then there is no doubt it is true.

I get ready for the battle to start at any time.

The three of us proceeded slowly through the forest.

“There.”(Vain)
There were 3 goblins in front of Vain when he said those words.

“I will head out first and then Iris will cover the area to catch any that escape, while Kururi will be ready with magic to help anyone at any time if something happens.” (Vain)

“If something happens” is like when someone is going to be killed, I do not want that to happen.

When the goblins notice us, they charge at us simultaneously.

Vain swings his sword downwards and kills one of them. Another one is rushing him and tries to thrust at him.
The third one is after Iris.

I also prepared some magic just in case something happens.
Vain will be fine but Iris is the one I am worried about.

I am keeping an eye on both but Vain as expected killed the second one in one blow as well.

This is good, now I can focus on support for Iris.

The goblin swung the club at Iris. Iris dodged the club and cut off the head of the goblin.

“I did not know you were married!!!!” (Iris)

The head of the goblin flew off, but more importantly looks like she still hasn't let that go. I know that you feel upset but there is no reason to take it out on the goblin.

“Iris, are you Ok?” (Kururi)

“Wow, that helped me a lot, where is the next one.” (Iris)

Um...that is not proper.

Oh, I get it; it's like going to the batting centre on the way back after you got your heart crushed.

Tlnote: Japan has batting centre around almost every block, it is a successful business, most of the customers are said to be in high school, when they took a poll of why they go there, second top answer was I just got heart broken.

We kept travelling from one end of the forest to the other end.

We are not injured or fatigued so we could keep going right?

Well this saves on taxes because it costs one gold to hire people to expel the monsters. So as lord of the domain I am quite happy.

“It's a ghoul!” (Vain)

I get ready immediately from Vain's warning.

“What should we do? Do we fight or run away?” (Vain)

Vain asked the question, while assessing our abilities and the ghoul's abilities. Ghouls are very dangerous, thus we would not know if we can beat it. It is not an opponent we can't beat but it has a poison which is dangerous.

“I have brought an antidote for the poison but I do not want to use it as it may come in handy later, what do you guys think we should do?”(Kururi)

“Let's kill it” (Iris)

Iris said with passion to kill it, I get that you are upset but please don't try to get us killed.

“Ok but even if there is an antidote, be careful.” (Kururi)

“Yup” (Iris)

“Ok, so I will deal with its attacks and Iris, when you see an opening, attack it. Kururi prepare to run if something happens.” (Vain).

We move according to Vain’s words and take it one step at a time.

Vain blocks the Ghoul’s attack with his sword, Iris saw that the ghoul has stopped moving and charged at it quickly and I prepare to cast magic to help at any point.

Iris’s sword made the ghoul’s head fly; a counter to this move is unlikely from the ghoul.

“Don’t be so nice if you have a wife!!!” (Iris)

Iris...you are still on it.

But Lotson is nice to everyone not just you.

“Iris, the Ghoul is still alive!!” (Kururi)

Iris hearing my warning looks behind and cuts the ghoul at the torso point.

“What was that smile you had all the time!!” (Iris)

When she said that, the Ghoul finally stopped moving.

Ah yes, she is remembering the fun times isn’t she?

Iris, stop taking it out on the monsters.

Ah this is similar to that isn’t it? a tavern where you let out all your feelings when you are drunk.

“Well, let’s go on” (Iris)

“Yes, Let’s go ahead”(Kururi)

Before I noticed Iris started to lead while Vain was in the middle and me at the back.

It must have accumulated a lot, the stress of a broken heart.

“Hey, something really big is coming.”(Vain)

When we went pretty deep into the forest, there was another warning from Vain.

“This is bad, let’s hide.”(Vain)

Following what Vain said, we hide behind the trees.

“What is it?” (Kururi)

“It’s an Orc”(Vain)

“an Orc!” (Kururi)

An Orc is bad news, they are superior to humans in strength and have defense to boost that as well.

They are also smart and quick on their feet despite their appearance.

It is not an opponent we can take down half-heartedly, also we may not be able to run away if things turn bad.

Vain said it also has an ax with it, this will be very difficult.

“It is a very dangerous opponent, I think we should head back for now.” (Vain)

“What, will we be hiring people?” (Kururi)

My head was doing the calculations and it says we should hunt it!

“So what should we do?” (Kururi)

“Let’s kill it!” (Iris)

Yes! Iris to the rescue, I really need to save money.

“Ok....As with the battle with the Ghoul, I will block it, Iris will attack as soon as there is an opening and Kururi will attack with magic if there is a good moment.” (Vain)

“Yup” (Iris)

“All right” (Kururi)

We found the orc and followed behind it, it was 3 meters tall and considering the Orcs in general, this one was small.

But even so, it’s still not a problem if it does not notice us. I will try to kill it with one blow from my magic.

The Orc is still not looking at us. Although Vain’s plan is good, let’s not take the risk of us getting hurt. I will finish it with one blow.

I used a large fire magic and caused the Orc’s body to burn, it notices us and charges at us.

The Orc has incredible momentum in its charge.

Even though the Orc is charging, Vain tried to tackle it but was sent flying back.

Our Vanguard went down in the first hit. Did that thing just send Vain flying 5

meters?

Since the Orc is still alive, we did not take our eyes off it. I confirm with a glance to the side that Vain was injured but fine enough to get up.

Iris charged at the Orc and they exchanged blows. Iris using her small body dodged the Orc's axe but she cannot keep it up forever.

The Orc's movements are getting faster and faster, as expected it is a very difficult opponent.

Iris bought enough time for me to cast another spell.
I cast a new spell at his feet and the change could be seen already.

I cast an ice spell and it erodes the Orc's speed down.
By the time the Orc noticed the ice, it was already at his waist.

From my ice spell, the movements of the Orc have slowed down completely until it could not move anymore.

When the ice reached the Orc's arms, Iris took the chance to stab into the heart of the Orc, ending the battle.

Iris did not want to make the same mistake as with the ghoul and slashed off the Orc's head.

"Good-bye, My first love!!!" (Iris)

Iris even at this stage, you are still dragging it.
I do get it but stop already.

We breathed a breath of relief and went to Vain. Apparently all he had was a light bruise.

"careless" (Vain)

Vain, it could not be helped; the other party was strong.

Iris wiped off her sweat and said

"Man, I hated the Orc's face. This was quite refreshing right?" (Iris)

Oh I get it, it's like when a girl with a broken heart comes to a girls night out and then starts to bad mouth some other guy. I understand.

Tlnote: I don't know why he knows this many situations, but this is from Idolm@ster I know that.

Afterwards, we subdued more monsters and then went back home.

Blacksmith V3 C11

Hello

I am sorry for not posting yesterday, but to make it up I am going to post two I want to catch up by end of the month and will do it

I have kept my promise and will catch up in about 8 chapters so 4 days of 2 chapters

Thank you Annie for editing the chapter

Enjoy

Blacksmith V3 C11

From then on, the domain was peaceful and we spent the rest of the summer heat in a relaxed mood.

However, now vacation is over and school resumes.

This summer seemed both short and long with many twists and turns, but coming back to school feels exciting.

I went to my room in the dorm after a long time and felt strange.

It felt both nostalgic and refreshing.

It is a very nice room.

There was a lot of space and it was sunny, with a good looking guy in the corner.

This place is comfortable.....

“Hey, why are you here?” (Kururi)

For some reason, Rail was in my room.

Why is he here?

Where did he get the keys?
Why is he drinking tea and reading a book?
Why, huh! Is it because we kind of look alike?

“What do you mean why, are we not in a relationship?” (Rail)
“What kind of relationship are you talking about?” (Kururi)
“We have already done it though.” (Rail)
“No, we have not done it.” (Kururi)

Why is it Rail again? Man, this is very stressful!!

“Well, let’s leave the jokes for later, I came because I was the only one you did not invite to your domain.” (Rail)
“What. If you want to come, just come.” (Kururi)
“I know that Arc went to your place.” (Rail)
“Yes, he came.” (Kururi)
“Eliza also went to your domain.” (Rail)
“Yes, thankfully she came.” (Kururi)
“Why did you not call me?” (Rail)

Annoying, so annoying.
You know what is the most annoying? His face that is making a sad expression.

“Really, why did you come to my room?” (Kururi)
“Oh, there was no matter other than that.” (Rail)

Oh, right. It’s Rail. Of course there was nothing else.
Man am I surprised that Rail somehow got to my room before me.
Really astounding. Wow!

“Even though you had no other things to discuss, you snuck into my room for fun?” (Kururi)
“That’s right.” (Rail)

Man this person is really scary
Rail starts to gaze into my eyes.
That face, it’s that face that is the scariest.

“Go back if you have nothing else.” (Kururi)
“Eh?! ” (Rail)

“What do you mean “Eh?!”, why are you still here?” (Kururi)

“Because.” (Rail)

“No, you are not cute, so just go back.” (Kururi)

He did not go back and kept asking me questions.
He somehow turned this into an interrogation and also touched my butt many times.

I don't know if his actions were conscious or by reflex, but I am not a homosexual, so I am not amused by this.

While the interrogation was still going on, Vain came into the room.
There was knock when he came in, but when did this become normal?

Tlnote: watch he is so gonna walk into Eliza changing because he did not knock.

“Vain, can you help me out here? Kururi wants to kick me out of his room and is using force.” (Rail)

“The only thing using force is your hand on my butt, let go of my butt.” (Kururi)
Vain doesn't help but instead says to just try to keep thing in moderation and sits on a chair.

What the hell do you mean by keep things in moderation?
What the hell are you telling me to keep in moderation, son of a great person?

Vain is now just sitting there waiting for someone. Obviously, he is waiting for Cross.

Tlnote: I like the name Cross better so I am going to stick with Cross instead of Crossy

“It has been a while; you didn't met Cross the entire vacation right?” (Kururi)
“Oh yeah.” (Vain)

It was a monotonous reply but I know that he is looking forward to meeting Cross since his legs are twitching.

Seriously Cross, come already.
I miss you too!

“Well since it is going to get quite lively in here, I will stay as well.” (Rail)

While getting confused by my conversation with Vain, Rail took the chance to sit next to him and starts to drink tea and resumed reading read.

“Vain was also at the Helan domain over the summer vacation right?” (Rail)

“Oh yeah.” (Vain)

“Nice, I was not invited.” (Rail)

“Oh, is that so?” (Vain)

“Is it not awful to not invite your beloved to your house over the vacation.”

(Rail)

“You are not my beloved.” (Kururi)

Seriously, he is not.

Tlnote: so did he do a house of cards kind of thing there.

Ok seriously, stop with that face before I punch it.

While waiting for Cross, I brewed some tea.

It is the best kind that can be found in my Domain.

It has a strong aroma and taste.

“Do you want some as well Vain?” (Kururi)

“Oh yeah” (Vain)

I take 2 tea bags and prepare the tea.

“What about me?”(Rail)

“None for you.” (Kururi)

“How awful. First, you invite Vain to your Domain and now you give him tea as well. Are you having an affair?” (Rail)

“Ok, I will give you some tea, so do not involve Vain in this.” (Kururi)

Tlnote: ya he already has a love.

So I start to brew one more tea for Rail as well.

Vain is still twitching his leg.

Rail repeatedly tries to touch my butt and fails each time.

I wonder when I will be able to enjoy my room to myself?

I wonder when I will be able to have a relaxing moment in my room?

I swallow the tea with an angry expression

Anyway, why is Cross still not here yet?

I thought the three of us could train together when we came back to school.
Is he still not back yet?

Vain doesn't think about these things and just waits for me.

"He is still not coming, huh," I suddenly said. (Kururi)

"Oh yeah," he said. (Vain)

Now that I think about it, Cross didn't come to my domain to play even though I invited him.

Did he have some kind of long term plan?

"Cross is not going to come." (Rail)

Rail said something and Vain and I turn to him.

What do you mean Cross is not going to come?

Why do you know that?

"Well, she is in a bit of trouble right now." (Rail)

"She?" (Kururi/Vain)

What the hell is he saying?

Blacksmith V3 C12

Hello

enjoy

if you guys can come up with a better name for crossy then leave it in the comments below,

The person who wins, I will let you pick a novel and I will translate one chap of it, and if it end in a cliffhanger then I will also translate that next chap

“Crossy is a man.” (Kururi)

I corrected Rail, but I am curious about what he said about Cross not being able to come back. But, for now, let’s correct our future doctor.

TInote: never mind going back to Crossy

“No, Crossy is a girl, and she is also a princess.” (Rail)

“What?” (Kururi)

What the hell is this guy saying?

“A princess?” (Kururi)

“Yes, she is a princess of a small country, but still a fine princess. She was temporarily exiled to our country due some sort of internal strife.... What? You guys were together for so long but did not know?” (Rail)

“Umm...Yes” (Kururi)

My mouth was agape, and my lower jaw looked like it would hit the floor.

“Really?” (Kururi)

“It’s true.” (Rail)

I looked at Vain, who was also surprised.

He seemed to be trying to say something, but no sound came out.

But I can read lips. I think he was saying,
“What the HELL!!!!!!!!!!” (Vain)

Crossy is a girl. I mean we did so many things together.
I touched her here and there so many times. Was that alright?
But before any of that, she is a princess!!!?

I knew that she did a lot of things very elegantly and had a regal aura... but,
seriously.
Man, this just blew my mind!!!!

“What are you guys going to do?” (Rail)
“What do you mean by ‘what am I going to do?’” (Kururi)
I don’t understand the meaning of your question.

“Well, I did say she returned home, back to her country. You guys won’t be
able to see her unless you go guys go there yourselves.” (Rail)

“Is that right?” (Kururi)

“Of course. She is a princess, and she can’t exactly go to school anymore
either.” (Rail)

“But, you know, today is a school day.” (Kururi)

“Just skip.” (Rail)

Oh yeah, there was that option.

Man, when did I become such a prude that skipping school didn’t cross my
mind?

“What should we do Vain, eh?” (Kururi)

I asked even though I knew the answer.

“Let’s go, Kururi.” (Vain)

Alright let’s go!!

As soon as I returned to school, I promptly left.
The days of being in a carriage with Vain continued.
I was glad to be with Vain but for some reason, Rail came too.
Somehow, three guys in a carriage was not a good feeling.

I wonder how Crossy was when she was with us; how she felt and how she
was doing.

There was no use thinking about it now, but this was the only thing I could think

about in the carriage.

I had fun when the 3 of us trained. I wonder if she had fun.
Vain did not talk much, but I knew he was thinking about this too.

“Kururi, what will you tell her when you get there?” (Rail)

“Well, I do not know.” (Kururi)

I could talk to her normally before, but after considering her position and her secret, I just lose all thoughts entirely.

It took two weeks to get to the country where Crossy lives.

It was very rural, but the area near the capital was quite lively.
I heard the main thing in this country is fishing.
There are not that many things here, but the people seem to be happy, from what I see.

When we got to the castle, we were let in immediately.
Rail seemed to have pulled some strings and got us inside.
I intended to just burst in and appear like a savior, but, after reconsidering, I think that would be too reckless.
We were led to a guest room and given snacks and books to keep us entertained, but I could not calm down.

The door opened and Crossy appeared. She was wearing a beautiful dress, and the make-up on her face suited her perfectly.

“Crossy!!!” (Kururi/Vain)
“Master! And Vain! Who is the person next you though?” (Crossy)
She did not know about Rail, but Rail knew about her and her secret.
Man, he is really scary!!

“Oh, don’t worry about him, but I was surprised by you.” (Kururi)
“Yes, I am sorry about that. It was a complicated situation.” (Crossy)
“Oh, that is alright. I am just glad that you are safe.” (Kururi)
“ Yes, the situation has changed, and I had to come back. I quit school already during the summer, but I felt regretful that I could not say goodbye to you guys. I am thankful that you came to visit.” (Crossy)
Crossy lifted her dress and bowed like a princess.

Like a princess— I guess she really is a princess.

Somehow, at this moment I became convinced and saddened by the fact that I won't be able to see her anymore.

“Um. Master is Vain angry?” (Crossy)

Crossy whispered to me asking why Vain has yet to come close and talk.

When I looked backwards, Vain was looking out the window at the distant sun.

Come closer Vain. Don't you want to meet Crossy?

“Vain.” (Kururi)

I called him, but he did not turn around.

“I am fine”

Somehow, it became the Vain when he talks to strangers:

Hilarious and without affection towards the person.

“Vain are you sure? This may be the last time we can see her.” (Kururi)

Vain did not saying anything, but his shoulders drooped.

I could tell he had a lot of things he wanted to say, so what was holding him back?

TInote: love, Love is holding him down

“Master, I am sorry, but I do not have that much time right now.” (Crossy)

“Are you going already?” (Kururi)

“I am sorry, but there are a lot of things left over from the internal strife from before. Thus, I have business to attend to. But please enjoy your stay. I will not able to join you, but I will definitely say goodbye to you when you leave.”

(Crossy)

“That's right. Crossy has it hard as well. I wanted to talk a lot more” (Kururi)

“Yes, I also wanted to talk....” (Crossy)

Vain, the one she was the closest to did not say a word, leaving her with a heavy heart.

In the end, Vain did not talk to her at all.

We were left with feelings of helplessness and uselessness that day, and we decided that, after tonight, we would go back to Kudan.

I thought of various things that night.
Not being able to see Crossy anymore made me really sad.
I am sure Vain feels the same, but why did he not say anything. If it were him,
he may be able to persuade her.
“Can you not sleep?” (Rail)
It seems that Rail is also awake.
Vain already left for a walk.
Both of us were unable to sleep.

“Yup, can’t sleep.” (Kururi)
“Shall I sing you a lullaby?” (Rail)
“No, thanks.” (Kururi)
“A hug?” (Rail)
“No, thank you.” (Kururi)
“Want to use my arm as a pillow.” (Rail)
“Good night, Rail” (Kururi)
“Eh?” (Rail)

Tlnote: I love characters like Rail so mature and aware of what people needs.
I ignored Rail’s stupidity and went to sleep. Thankfully those thoughts
disappeared.

“Hey, do you have someone you like?” (Rail)
Rail keeps talking
I threw a pillow at his face, and he became quiet.
It was a really bad night.

Blacksmith V3 C13

Hello

today and tomorrow will be the final day for this marathon and then I will do something else Hello to my editors can you answer I translated 3 chapters already I have one more already being edited and 1 more left unedited so please come out and thank you Enjoy

Thank you to PawKey for editing again

Tlnote: I decided to go with Chris so if you [nefe18](#) have something you want me to translate that is Japanese I will do it. One or two chaps Blacksmith V3 C13

The day to go back to school has come.

Vain is still quiet, I wonder if I should say something to him.

I met Chris before we left for school.

“Master, I am sorry I could not do anything for you during your stay here.”
(Chris)

“It’s alright, I heard from people around the castle that you are really busy, right. It might get hard and you may want to run away, but remember to not overdo it and to do your best.” (Kururi)

“Yes I will, it’s just....” (Chris)

“Just?” (Kururi)

“No never mind. I do not have anything else to say but our goodbyes. Thank you for everything and though I am not sure when we will meet again, I promise that we will meet again.” (Chris)

“Yup, I feel the same way.” (Kururi)

It was finally time to leave.

It feels really sad.

Rail also said goodbye to her but since they did not know each other well, it was just a formality.

However, the only who did not say goodbye was Vain.
He is supposed to be the saddest, but did not even say good bye. What is wrong with you?

“Vain” (Chris)

Chris finally called out to Vain.

“What?” (Vain)

“What do you mean by what, we may never see each other again.” (Chris)

“Yeah, so?” (Vain)

“Is there nothing you want to say?” (Chris)

“No, there is nothing...” (Vain)

“Vain, you are such a fool” (Chris) or “Vain no Baka” (Chris)

“Kururi, lets hurry and leave.” (Vain)

Vain said that with a dark and gloomy face.

“Are you sure this is the way you want to leave?” (Kururi)

“Yes.....we already said goodbye didn't we.” (Vain)

Chris is looking sad, and Vain is not looking at her.

I know how they are feeling, but even if I told them to do something, I feel it will be useless.

Tlnote: no, just say something, you can never know the future (even for a guy who knows exactly what will happen) We all got on the carriage and told the coachman to depart.

I looked outside to see Chris' face for the last time.

But no matter what, I kept peeping outside again and again to see her face.

A lot of good memories came back to me.

I know that I felt really happy during those times.

I started crying thinking about how I may never see her again.

When I started to think that, I got this awful feeling in the pit of my stomach

and started completely crying my eyes out.

“Are you ok Kururi?” (Rail)

Rail asked after I had calm down a bit.

“Yes, I am a bit better now.” (Kururi)

“Ok, that’s good.” (Rail)

The carriage was dead silent for a while.

Nobody tried to talk and I didn’t feel like talking either.

“Shall I sing a song?” (Rail)

Rail tries to lighten up the mood, but I think that is just stupid.

Why does Rail want to sing a song?

TInote: my man Rail to the rescue

While expressing my refusal, Rail starts to sing.

He had a beautiful voice and was singing the song perfectly.

I can hear some birds singing in the background as well.

I felt a little bit better and the time while he was singing felt short.

Why can this guy sing?

You really have too many useless talents.

“Chris will have it hard from now on.” (Rail)

“What are you talking about, of course she will have it hard.” (Kururi)

I answered Rail sarcastically.

Of course it is obvious that Chris is going to have it hard.

The country has been struggling with internal strife for a while now.

She has to help restore the country and thus as the one who restored my domain, I know it is hard.

It will take many years and maybe it won’t even happen during her lifetime.

I feel that today was the last time I will ever see her.

“I wonder if you really do understand Kururi?” (Rail)

“What do you mean?” (Kururi)

I know answering a question with a question is bad manners but with this guy, it should be fine.

Rail is a hard willed guy.

“Kururi, I hang out with the prince a lot so I know the difficulty of the people who bears the title of Royalty.” (Rail)

“That’s why I am asking you to say it with more depth.” (Kururi)

Rail started to look outside, looking at the distant sun and began to talk.

“To my knowledge, Arc has been the target of assassination about 3 times now. That is, in the royal palace, in his own country. Kudan is particularly stable and has not had great problems like Chris’ country has. Kururi, do understand what I mean now?” (Rail)

“What!!” (Kururi)

The difficulty I was thinking of and what Rail considered difficult was on an entirely different level.

Chris came back right after her country got out of the strife, but the potential for danger still exists.

I really don’t know anything about the nobles’ or royalties’ situations.

Tlnote: he really needs to start learning about this, like fast, isn’t there a guide for dummies to be a noble.

“Vain!?” (Kururi)

Next to me, after hearing that from Rail, Vain stood up in a daze.

Vain rose so suddenly that he forgot that the carriage is smaller than him and he hit his head.

“Rail, is what you said true?” (Vain)

“Of course it is true, I am someone who aiming to become a doctor, I would not lie about life and death.” (Rail) After hearing Rail’s words, Vain clenched his fist.

“Hey coachman, stop the carriage.” (Vain)

“Why, is something the matter?” (Coachman)

“Just stop the carriage!!” (Vain)

The coachman being told such, stopped the carriage and Vain quickly got out of the carriage.

Vain took his baggage and his sword and left us while saying this to me.

“Kururi, I have to go now.” (Vain)

“.....OK” (Kururi)

I could not understand him right now, but I know what kind of man Vain is and I knew without asking what he was trying to do.

“Are you going?” (Kururi)

“Yup, I am going.” (Vain)

“You may not even be able to meet her anymore.” (Kururi)

“Even so, I will go. I will go and protect her with my sword.” (Vain)

Vain took his sword out of the scabbard and held it tightly in his hands. I know Vain is good-looking, but right now he is so cool.

“Then you will need more than just that sword.” (Kururi)

I throw two short swords to Vain that has my name on it.

“It’s a good luck charm” (Kururi)

“Thank you Kururi” (Vain)

He put the two short swords in his bag.

This may be our last meeting.

I gave Vain a manly hug and we did not say anything.

I did not see Vain off with my eyes.

I felt I could not endure the pain of having to lose two of my best friends in one day.

I told the coachman to leave now.

Three people came, only two were leaving.

Now that Vain left, the carriage somehow seemed to have gotten bigger.

“Vain is awesome, isn’t he?” (Rail)

“Yup, he is my best friend.” (Kururi)

“And he really cares for his friends, doesn’t he?” (Rail)

“Yup, he is my best friend.” (Kururi)

“And he was also really cool right now, wasn’t he?” (Rail)

“Yup, he is my best....” (Kururi)

I started to cry again.

I cried on Rail's chest and he had a rose scent for some reason. When I smelled that I drew away.

Blacksmith V3 C14

Hello

Thank you Rumble fish for editing

Enjoy

Best girl is ELiza

Everything I saw was surround by fog.

No, it is not fog.

Cloud is a better term.

It was a fluffy white cloud.

Clouds are said to have been created by cooling water vapor, but this one was both warm and pleasant.

There was no moisture—just a fluffy cloud.

It covered my body and made me feel really happy.

“Oh, I know. This must be a dream.” (Kururi)

Dreaming while being aware you’re in a dream — I want to stay like this for a while.

Reality has been tough lately.

I lost two of my best friends at once.

I want to stay like this for a while.

That’s right. I don’t care about anything anymore. Let’s just have a “do nothing” day.

When I wake up, I will go back to studying every single day again.
I have no more reason to do that anymore since they both left.

Let's take a break and rest my mind and body.

"Looks like you are really tired right now" (Eliza)
I heard a female voice behind me.

It was Eliza's voice.

After the voice, I felt a slight touch on my back.
Eliza also seemed tired.

Yup, this is nice dream.
God must really exist if I'm having this nice of a dream.

"How are you feeling?" (Eliza)
"Yes. I feel better now." (Kururi)

The feeling of having Eliza close to me and touch me felt so real that I thought this couldn't be a dream.
I am having such a wonderful dream.
I want to stay like this forever.
Yup, just like this.

"What?" (Kururi)
I woke up due to how realistic that dream was.
I wanted to see more.
"Damnit!" (Kururi)
I was having such a nice dream. This kind of dream is rare.

"Oh, you are up. Did you have a nice dream?"

I woke up and heard the same voice from my dream.

Even though I should've been awake, I still felt that touch on my back from the dream.
There is someone behind me.

I turned to see who it was.

"Hey, what the hell are you doing here?" (Kururi)
It was Rail.

Rail was in my room even though I had locked the door.

“It looked like you were having a nice dream.” (Rail)

“Nope. Get out.” (Kururi)

I kicked him off the bed, and asked him,

“Why are you in my room, and why are you on my bed?” (Kururi)

It was crisis of apocalyptic proportions. I had to take the harsh route here.

“Well, I thought you were sad.” (Rail)

“Even if I were sad, I would have no intentions of sharing it with another man.

How did you get in here?” (Kururi)

“That is a se-cr-et.” (Rail)

I put him in a choke-hold, and threw him out of the room.

I really hoped would keep him out of my room.

Finally alone, I fully felt Vain’s and Chris’s absence.

It felt somewhat lonely, and the room seemed bigger.

I know I’ve had a lot of times when I was alone, but, unlike those previous times, it just felt bad.

The tea which I had always liked and enjoyed felt thin and bland.

While I deep in thought, someone knocked on the door.

It was not Vain — he never knocks.

Now, I wish he would just barge in unannounced.

“May I ask who is visiting?” (Kururi)

I opened the door to find a pig.

Wait — no. It was a man with a pig’s face and two other men.

“Are you Kururi Helan?” (Pig)

“Yes.” (Kururi)

“I am Maru Karack. Do you understand your predicament?”

“Yes.” (Kururi)

He is the son of Count Marl.

They look so alike that it’s nauseating.

“Lend me your face for a second.” (Maru)

“Ok.” (Kururi)

Tlnote: vent your stress on him.

Just like his father, he came here with a request.

I wondered just how alike they could be.

I was told to meet him behind the school.

It was a good place for us to meet, because it was shaded and obscured by the trees.

“I heard from my father that you were kind of cocky. I think I might have to hurt you on his behalf.” (Maru)

“What? Are going to fight me?” (Kururi)

“That’s right.” (Maru)

“3 vs 1 isn’t something I would call a fight.” (Kururi)

“Shut up.” (Maru)

Maru and the other two attacked me simultaneously. I completely lost, but it’s not like I cared to begin with, anyway.

They felt satisfied, so they left me.

Tlnote: this is getting now ridiculous, why the f**k is author making me so wimpy, it was fight vent your stress.

I wonder if it was because of the shade or the wind blowing through the trees. I felt it was a good place for a nap.

My body hurt like hell, but my mood improved. Maybe being beat up was just what I needed.

I put my hands behind my head and looked up at the sky.

The weather was wonderful.

It probably would have been better if I wasn’t hurting all over.

I shouldn’t have fought them.

I felt drowsy, so I fell asleep.

I woke up to a lady’s voice during my nap.

“May I have this seat?” (Eliza)

When I looked to see who it was, a beautiful girl was looking at me from

above.

She was wearing this beautiful one-piece dress.

The length of skirt was short enough that I could see her underwear.

I had no intention of looking. I did not see any pink panties.

I swear to god.

“Eliza....Please, go ahead” (Kururi)

Crap. Damn it, mind, let it go. Forget her underwear.

Wearing pink panties under a white one piece. She truly has good style.

“What happened? You’re covered in bruises.” (Eliza)

“Ah.” (Kururi)

Is she worried about me?

But my mind would not let the pink go.

“You should know that weak men are not popular.” (Eliza)

“Ah.” (Kururi)

If the bottom is pink, does that mean the top is pink too?

“I wonder if you’re actually listening to me. Well, Maru will get something from me.” (Eliza)

“Ah.”

Even though, thinking normally, having mismatched underwear is bad, right?
SO that means the top must be pink as well. Man, I want to hit myself.

What? Did you mention a blood bath?

What were you talking about?

“Here wipe the blood off.” (Eliza)

“Oh, thank you”(Kururi)

“Is the handkerchief also pink?” (Kururi)

“Also?” (Eliza)

Crap! My thoughts and remarks were reversed.

Eliza held her dress down as her face turned red.

Immediately afterwards, she gave me a hook to the face.

“Oh.”

In the shade of the trees, a cool breeze was blowing, but my face felt really hot.

“It hurts.” (Kururi)

“You deserved it.” (Eliza)

“Yes.” (Kururi)

I did see the underwear,
but there was no mal-intention.
It was an accident.

But... I will reflect on my imagination getting out of hand.

“I am sorry.” (Kururi)

“I will only forgive you this once.” (Eliza)

Eliza pouted.
It was really cute.

“Will you go on a date with me next week? Just the two of us?” (Kururi)
I had some free time, and, for some reason, those words spilled out from my mouth.
I do not even understand, myself.
Why did I ask that?

Maybe I am just lonely and want her company.

“Oh, yes. I will gladly accompany you.” (Eliza)

Eliza agreed to my request.
I did it Vain, Chris.

For a while, we sat side by side in silence, as I smiled at her and she looked back at me while blushing.
It was the continuation of the dream.

Blacksmith V3 C15

Hello

well after that depressing chapter we get a fluffy and total ship confirmed
chapter Eliza is the girl and Iris is not

we are done

WordPress mess up when I copied and pasted from the edit but

It is my first date with Eliza.

I washed my face so many times that I lost count.

I prepared my clothes, too.

I may have picked something on the hard side, but I think I chose something cool.

I checked myself in the mirror so many times.

“Yup, this is right.” (Kururi)

The meeting place was in front of the fountain.

It is a popular date spot in school.

I came earlier to avoid being late because I felt restless at home.

I looked around and saw Eliza has yet to come.

I wonder if I came to early.

While waiting for Eliza, I saw someone come. I saw two people approach from behind. It was shocking that those two were together. Arc and Iris were coming to the fountain side by side. I wonder when they had made up. Iris should have disliked Arc.

Somehow when those two people came I hid behind the fountain.

A square where the fountain was located and there were benches around here.

The two of them sat down on a corner bench, so I hid behind the tree while spying on them.

“Did you come here before?” (Arc)

“Umm.. I think I came here before.” (Iris)

Neither were smiling when they were talking. Why!?

What, were they not on a fun date?

“I am the lowest human being.” (Arc)

What!? What did Arc just say?

Did he suddenly just say he was the lowest human being.

Why is he saying that, what are they trying to do?

“No, I am the lowest human being.” (Iris)

(TInote: look it's pity love, the best kind of love.)

Wow, now it's Iris. What the hell happened to create that crazy conversation.

“I am the lowest being, I haven’t been able to do anything lately. I have been failing at whatever I do.” (Arc) “No, I am the one that can’t do anything, even now I.... Just remembering it gives me a pain in my head.” (Iris) “No, I suck the most.” (Arc)

“No, I suck the most.” (Iris)

What the hell are they doing?! They are not complimenting each other or bragging about each other.

They are just bringing themselves down.

This is weird! Someone please help them!!!

“I do not have the qualifications to be the next king, I hope Rahsa takes over for me, he is better suited to be king.” (Arc) “What are you talking about, Arc can do almost everything; brains, brawns, and good looks, how can someone like you speak in such a weak tone?” (Iris) “Well, you know when we left the domain during the summer. We got in a little accident and the carriage turned threw us out, Rahsa fell gently on a cushion while I fell on Horse dung.” (Arc) “Well, that is quite a story...It’s not like I was any better, I lost everything I had this time. No, that’s wrong. I never had anything to begin with, I am an empty woman.” (Iris) “No of course not, Iris is amazing. Your smile is amazing and you, yourself are amazing.” (Arc) “No I am not. I suck!” (Iris) “No really Iris is awesome, really!” (Arc) “Arc is also amazing; I am sure you will become an amazing person in the future.” (Iris)

What, aren’t they doing fine, I guess I was worrying too much.

But horse dung huh. He is a prince but horse dung. Hahahahaha!!

“Oh, it is not a nice hobby to be peeping.” (Eliza) “Eliza!!” (Kururi)

When did she come?

Man, how embarrassing.

“Please, call out if you are already here.” (Kururi) “Oh, but it looked like you were having fun.” (Eliza) “How mean, I was waiting for you.” (Kururi) “Hehehe” (Eliza)

Eliza laughed

It is the first time I saw her laugh up close.

It was beautiful.

“Shall we go, milady?” (Kururi)

I bowed and gave my hand.

“Yes, let us go.” (Eliza)

Eliza gave me her hand without hesitation.

Two people walking together. This is the moment I have been waiting for.

“Where shall we go?” (Eliza)

“Anywhere with you is fine.” (Kururi)

We walked and talked about nothing at all. We just talked about our daily lives and nothing else.

We talked about what we liked and disliked. I did not absorb the conversation, but I was just happy being with her. It made me think this is what

happiness must be.

“Eliza, I am really happy to be with you right now.” (Kururi) “Yes, I as well.” (Eliza)

We walked. After we got tired of walking, we found a bench and sat down.

We had lunch, it was an ordinary homemade lunch. But all of it was delicious, I did not understand why it was delicious but it was all delicious.

“Please calm down and eat, if you eat in such a hurry, you will choke.” (Eliza)
“No way.....” (Kururi)

No, I am choking, I am sorry Eliza. I am dying. Eliza’s tea made it in time and I somehow managed to survive. That would have been embarrassing, on my grave stone saying I died on my first date by choking.

I continued to talk to Eliza after lunch. I don’t remember what she said or what I said but I felt that was ok. I was just happy to be with her.

We spoke for a while, then I noticed the person in front of me sitting on the bench.

That woman put her hands on the bench spread out with her legs spread wide open. In such a hot summer, she was wearing a dress that felt like you would get a heat stroke in.

It was the cat teacher.

“What are you looking at?” (Cat)

As the person was someone I was directly involved with I looked away. I felt it was bad to talk with this person right now.

“What are you two little kittens doing right now?” (Cat) “Um...we are on a date.” (Kururi)

Staring at us with passion, the Cat said,

“Well, the sun is setting, so it is time to go back.” (Cat) “Yes, we have to go back soon, as well.” (Kururi) “No, mine is different, I have to go back and have a fluffy bath and really wet shower.” (Cat)“....” (Kururi)

(TLnote: I am bad at innuendos so I couldn't come up with a good one.)

This is the reason I avoid this person. I really did not want to see this person today.

Cat teacher broke it.The good atmosphere we had is gone.

Look, Eliza has a black line on her face.

Stop doing that in front of her.

“Puff puff girls!” (Cat)

Why did you need to expand it?! I don't want don't hear it!!

Thus, my first date with Eliza was crushed by a cat.

I saw Arc and Iris going back while smiling.

Good for you guys. Well I had fun day. I am going to get better at this for sure.

Blacksmith V3 C16

Hello

Yes, I am sorry but I do not think I will be able to finish translating all of blacksmith by tmr, I had unexpected situation come up so I will out of town and will only have internet on my phone.

THank you to Kuro-nyan for editing

these chapter I hate, no development at all, I did not find it very funny but will push through.

EDIT: Since many of you have read this chapter, I will just say, no this dog is not Arc, I wish it was Arc, that would be funny but it is not

The seasons change and now it became the easiest time to study and learn. I listened and learned in my classes firmly today again. I also completed all the work during self-study.

Every day was the same but then again studying is a student's main job. If that is done then everything else will fall in place or so they say.

I went to Toto's garden on my way back from class.
It was my usual routine.
Toto and Iris should be trying to create some weird plant in there.
With a picture I can see in my head vividly, I walked to Toto's garden.

Huh? They aren't here.
I looked inside the greenhouse but I can't see them.
I start to look around the greenhouse and see Iris.

"Wow!" (Kururi)
Iris was not alone and she had a big dog with her.

It was covered in mud and was really big.

“What’s up with the dog?” (Kururi)

“Ha?” (Iris)

Finally, Iris noticed I was here.

She had a pale face.

“Dog...it is not a dog.” (Iris)

It is a dog why are you lying.

It’s a dog and good breed at that. I think it is close to St. Bernard, you know the dog that comes up the mountains and gives to brandy.

“It’s a dog.” (Kururi)

“It may not be a dog.” (Iris)

What are you talking about? Why are you misrepresenting it?

I know you’re lying.

“Iris, is something wrong with that dog?” (Kururi)

“Maybe?” (Iris)

What is it? Is it bad that I think that thing is a dog?

“Does Kururi really think this is a dog?” (Iris)

It seems that I’m being tested.

Maybe I should not admit this thing is a dog.

“So, it is not a dog.” (Kururi)

“That’s right! It is not a dog.”

Yes, I got it right.

[TLnote: After this, I called the dog ‘not dog’ because of what they’re saying. So, let’s just leave it as it is.]

[EDnote: Kururi just playing along cause he can’t beat Iris. XD]

“So, what are you doing with that ‘not dog’?” (Kururi)

“This ‘not dog’ always comes here after school.” (Iris)

“Hmm, is that so?” (Kururi)

Looking at Iris’s clothes covered in mud, they must have been together for a while.

“This ‘not dog’ is so obedient and amazing. She’s kind and intelligent too.”

(Iris)

“Oh. Yes.” (Kururi)

“Besides, the body is so big. She does not hurt people, right?” (Iris)

“Yes.” (Kururi)

“Ah, you are such a good girl, it is a ‘not dog’ that is useful to human beings.”

(Iris)

Yes, I know you want to keep it.

“Should I keep it?”

Iris’ shining eyes seems to be saying *“I want to keep the dog!”*

“Is it alright?” (Iris)

“It’s not banned. So, I think it’s safe to keep it.” (Kururi)

No one thought that someone would keep a dog on the school. So, the school regulations do not have anything for it. It’s kind of a gray zone.

“But, is it really good?” (Iris)

“It is alright. Now, let’s get some food for it in dining room.” (Kururi)

“But.....” (Iris)

“I will make a dog house here in the garden since there is a lot of space here.”

(Kururi)

Somehow, I seem to be caught up in the passion to keep it.

Iris then pulled on my clothes. I think she’s saying something.

“...do not do?” (Iris)

“What?” (Kururi)

“You won’t eat it, right?” (Iris)

“Why would a person eat a dog?!” (Kururi)

After I said that Iris looked up with vigor.

“But I heard of people eating dogs!” (Iris)

“What?!” (Kururi)

“Nobles eat dogs as delicacies! Don’t lie I know!” (Iris)

Her perception is messed up and the face is too close to me. Personal distance, girl.

“No, I do not eat dogs; nor do I know of any nobles that eat dog. Even if there

are nobles that do eat, they are in the minority.” (Kururi)

“Do not lie! Just say you want to eat it!” (Iris)

“I am not going to eat it.” (Kururi)

“Of course you’re not going to eat it! This is a ‘not dog’ after all, so you can’t eat it.” (Iris)

“Hey, Hey, Iris !” (Kururi)

“This is a ‘not dog’. This is a ‘not dog’.” (Iris)

“Iris, you are brainwashing the wrong person.” (Kururi)

After I grabbed onto her shoulders and shook her, hard. She took a deep breath and snapped out of it.

People are desperate to protect the things they love. So, I have to declare it in front of her.

“I really do not eat it.” (Kururi)

“I swear to god, that I do not eat it.” (Kururi)

“What about Eliza or Arc?” (Iris)

Well, I know Eliza doesn’t but I don’t know about Arc but let’s declare it for him...

“Don’t worry. I can assure you they do not eat dog.” (Kururi)

“So, I can keep it?” (Iris)

“Yup, you can. I have seen Iris give it food from some time ago, so it’s best to keep it.” (Kururi)

Iris seems to have gotten a dog.

Well, maybe the reason Toto is not here is because of the dog.

I have to explain some things to him tomorrow.

“It might be a good watchdog that can protect your farms from thieves and such.”(Kururi)

I think this dog will make a great assistant to Iris’ big veggies plan.

“What you mean? Do you want this dog to fight?” (Iris)

It is big as Vain. Of course it’s going to attack.

“It’s just an intimidation tactic. It’s not actually going to fight. I will not put any leash on it so if someone actually attacks it can run away.” (Kururi)

“Yup, you hear that? Run away, Alfredo.” (Iris)

What? What is Alfredo?

What? Did this mud covered dog just got a noble-like name?

“Alfredo? That’s not his name, right?” (Kururi)

“Yup, it is the name of this dog.” (Iris)

With her eyes shining like a kid who just got a present from Santa, I did not have the heart to refuse.

“Maybe I should wash him.” (Iris)

“Yup.” (Kururi)

Iris used the water that is meant for the plants to wash Alfredo.

Iris washed his entire body and he did the water-shake trick.

Alfredo looks comfortable.

It’s eyes were shining and mouth was open.

This guy is definitely not an ‘Alfredo’, he’s a Goro.

“He’s very pretty now! Isn’t that right, Alfredo?” (Iris)

His fur just became fluffy after Iris dried him.

Now, Iris is hugging him.

I want to do that as well but I will only do that when I’m alone with him.

“I will get the materials for the doghouse from the school.” (Kururi)

“I will tell the aunt at the dining hall to secure some food for him every day.”
(Iris)

“I will also make a collar and engrave a knights symbol on the collar.” (Kururi)
Knight of the Fields? That sounds funny and cool. I will also make some shield accessories on his collar.

It has been a long time since I made something.

“Well, follow me Alfredo. I need to measure your neck.” (Kururi)

I started walking but I did not see Alfredo behind me.

I looked back to see he is still beside Iris.

Well, that was unexpected.

“Oh Alfredo, come on. I will make a collar for you, a great one.” (Kururi)

‘Screw you’ was the face the Alfredo had.

Huh?

I was surprised. I was so excited about keeping the dog with Iris that I forgot. He just met me. So, he's not really fond of me yet, is he? What is this embarrassing misunderstanding?

I mean, I calmly thought, I have not touched a single fur in his body yet.

"Alfredo, let's go to Kururi's room together." (Iris)

When the Iris walked out, Alfredo followed her straightforward.

While waving the tail, it obediently followed.

I have decided in my heart, that dog is Goro and the collar accessory will not be a shield but a potato instead.

Bad news and Blacksmith V3 C17

Hello

4 things

1. as you saw I have some bad news, I will drop blacksmith, I have read volume 4 or what is out of it and do not like it anymore, my main criteria for doing something is I have to like it. but this novel I do not like any more there is no end goal and we are at volume 4.

2. I have been asked by light novels world to translate My novels there which I have said yes due to one reason, editing, I am happy to have the people who edited work edit but I feel wrong for always expecting this of you thus I will go over there to give you guys or my other people better quality translation.

3. I asked shirotranslation to have DD but they have asked me to collaborate with them which I obviously said I would glad to collaborate. the novel will still be their sideband I will continue to collaborate with them.

4. last thing, my Last project if I was to continue blacksmith would have been <http://www.novelupdates.com/series/amaku-yasashii-sekai-de-ikiru-ni-wa/> this one but since I have dropped blacksmith this became my third project and will take suggestions for a fourth project if you guys want me to translate something please say in the comments below

Thank perp ya for editing this chapter

Enjoy the end of volume 3 and the last chapter of blacksmith from me.

Kuro you betrayed me, this is clearly way worse then death flags. should not have given that up.

Iris stays in the girls' dorm and her room is small, so it was decided that he

would stay in my room for today.

Goro Alfredo is to stay in **My Room**.
He is huge and smelly and took over my bed.

I hate this dog.
“Bark” (Goro)

Looks like he hates me as well.
I tried to keep him in the garden but he ignored me and went over to my bed. I will have to sleep on the hard floor because of this dog. I should have eaten it.

I will make the doghouse tomorrow, so I will finish his collar today. Of course, as I said, he will get a potato. I have to make the molds first before melting the iron. It is a work that has been embedded into my body.

A potato...I have to get this right, so let's get a picture book from the library first.
I wonder when the last time I made something was.

I think it was Rail's medical equipment, the last time. Since this is just an accessory, it won't be that much of a hard work. But getting the details right is hard.

It took me 3 hours to make it, a potato accessory. It felt cool for some reason.
I tried to make it look stupid, but now I feel it will look cool on the dog.
Well it will look stupider than a shield would, and I am sure that Goro will look idiotic in it.

Now it's time to make the collar. I am not that good at this but I can finish it well, I think.

The collar combined with the Potato accessory made Goro, who I very much

loathed, look cool instead. Such a waste.

It was hard to put it on him.

“...This is different than I imagined after all.” (Kururi)

He was a stray before, but with the collar, he became awesome for some reason. I did not want this. I wanted him to look just stupid not stupidly cool.

Every time Goro moves, the potato shines a light on my face like he is mocking me.

Why is it so cool?

I really did not want this.

He is too cool.

I look at the time, it's midnight right now.

Should I do it? Let's do it!

I threw away both shame and pride and I decided to make another potato accessory.

I am embarrassed for myself.

This time, I took out fine iron and melted it carefully.

This was the second time, so the earlier molds were made more accurate than before.

It took two hours to complete the glittering potato accessory. I can sell this! It's really cool.

While thinking where to put it, I was overcome with drowsiness and collapsed to a deep sleep.

Next morning, I was woken up by Goro, who was stepping on me.

This dog, he really doesn't know who owns this house, does he?!

I went and got breakfast from the dining hall and ate in my room with Goro.

He didn't even pay attention to his food until I put the food properly in a dish and served it to him, only then he started to eat.

This dog, I wonder if he was abandoned by an aristocrat.

I know it is something I came up with, but when I think like that, I feel sorry for him.

Tlnote: dude just fillet him and throw him to the pigs.

“Bark!” (Goro)

Apparently it seems it was not enough. I was able to communicate with you quite often, don't lose yourself.

Tlnote: I am going to stop putting Goro, only he will say bark.

It is troublesome to go to the dining room once more, so I divided the bread that I was eating and gave it to him. He made a somewhat disgusted face.

Although I did split the bread, he did not want my bread...

“Do not be selfish, I've divided it for you, I have yet to get full either.”

“Bark”

He seemed to understand, and began to eat baked bread.

What is it, unexpectedly obedient?

Regrettable! Regrettable!

It was a moment of weakness but then I relaxed.

This is an enemy. I should not forget it.

It is just for today. I will not take care of it at all from tomorrow.

Goro ate the bread and started to lick the plate.

“Bark”

Oh, this kind of cute voice is also given out.

“I cannot help it, I will go to the cafeteria once more” (Kururi)

I got the light meat dish. Let's get bread now.

After all, large dog eats a lot.

I explained my situation to the aunty at dining hall and got a lot of bread. He will be able to eat fully now.

“Holy shit” (Kururi)

I never thought I would swear, when I came back I found a surprise made by Goro for me.

It was so oversized that not even cows would be able to make the much.

It was steaming fresh.

What should I do?! Help me someone!

But this was the school not my home.

I used all my brains and thought of a solution. I took cardboard and used it as scoop and then flushed it down the toilet.

Yes, this situation will definitely enter the 5 worst moments of my life.

TInote: really I can already think of 5 that are way worse than this.

I gave Goro the bread I got from the aunty. You can eat now.

No... in fact don't eat.

I took some bread away from the plate.

I know that the bread will make you poop again, so Nope!

The day flew by in no time and it was after school-time.

I took Goro to the field.

I saw Toto who looked over trembling, yup it was because of fear that he was not here yesterday.

I will make a doghouse nearby, so you will have to get used to it.

“No! It's absolutely a human eating dog” (Toto)

It's not like I don't understand, but he is an obedient dog.

Iris came late.

It seems she was very moved by the collars and potatoes I made.

“What is this! Cool, cool! It fits Alfredo really well. ”

Alfredo? Oh, you mean Goro?

After all it is different from the plan. It was supposed to be a burst of laugh here. It has become completely cool because of the potatoes.

By the way, I also wore accessory potatoes.
I could not decide where to put it, but eventually made it in a necklace form.
I'm hiding it in the clothes though.

I hope I will be praised like Goro too.

"huh, Kururi, what is that necklace?" (Toto)
Oh it seems that Toto has noticed it.

"Yep, it is a potato." (Kururi)
"Why a Potato, that is so lame." (Toto)
.....I will pretend I did not hear that.

"I will go make the doghouse; it will be right next to the Garden." (Kururi)
"What?! Put it further away!" (Toto)
"I will put it near the vinyl house entrance then." (Kururi)
"How is that further?! did I do something to you?" (Toto)

Well, I will get the lumber then.
I will go ask the teacher.

"Hey, stay with her; I am going to make you a house."
I tried to command him but he does not listen.

I thought we were getting along but maybe he does not want to move right now.
I will have to go alone.

"come on Alfredo, let's go to the dining hall and get your next meal." (Iris)
He starts to jump up and down and wag his tail.

....Right, he was that kind of a guy.
I hate him so much; I was idiot for liking him at all.